THE WEATHER.

For Boston and vicinity: Increasing cloudiness and showers to-day; Wednesday cloudy and warmer, light southerly winds.

High water: 11:30 a. m.; 11:45 p. m.

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CLAIMING RIGHT TO DEFEND HOME, ACCUSED SLAYER FACES COURT

WOMAN BARRED

Joseph Evans, Charged With Murder of Detective Fraser in Somerville, Gets Preliminary Hearing—Mrs. Barber, Who Was in House When Tragedy Occurred, Excluded from Court.

Has a husband a right to shoot another man who intrudes by force into his house at night?

Has a hurband a right to force his way into another's house, to ascertain if his wife is there?

These are questions involved in the trial of Joseph Evans, whose preliminary hearing on the charge of murder is being held to-day before Judge John Haskell Butler in Somerville.

Mrs. Allen J. Barber of Woonsocket, R. I., who was found in Evans's house on the night of August 1, when Detective George L. Fraser was killed while trying to force his way into the house, was present, but was excluded from the courtroom while other witnesses were testifying.

Mrs. Barber will be the main witness at the hearing. She is the cause of the shooting. Her husband and Detective Fraser, who was in his employ, were trying to find her when they met Evans, and Fraser was shot dead.

MRS. BARBER EXCLUDED.

Mrs. Barber and her husband remained in the courthouse corridor to-day while the other witnesses were being examined. They avoided each other studiously. A throng of spectators crowded the courtroom and corridor.

Mrs. Barber, gowned in white, with a brown straw hat on her head, arose from her seat in the court room when the exclusion order was given. She strolled out of the room, seemingly the most self-possessed person there. She sat down on a bench in the corridor and began reading a newspaper. Her husband, whose visit to Evans's premises had brought such fatal results, walked to the other end of the corridor and sat down. Neither seemed so much as to look at the other. No one, unacquainted with the facts in the case, would have for a second suspected them of being husband and wife.

Questions spectators are asking themselves at this hearing are:

"If Evans thought these three detectives and the husband of his housekeeper meant harm, had he a right to use weapons to keep them out?"

Also:

"How far did Barber have a right to go in his apparent effort to enter Evans's house to see the wife with whom he had not lived for nearly a year?"

The first witness to-day was Dr. Ernest G. Pillsbury. His testimony was merely a formal relating of his call at the Evans house a few minutes after the shooting. He said:

Stepped Over Dying Man.

"I received a call and hurried to Mr. Evans's house. I walked through the hallway, and had to step over the body of a

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SAYS WOMAN IN WHITE JUMPED INTO CHANNEL

The harbor police are dragging the South Bay and Fort Point Channel to-day for the body of a mysterious, unknown woman, dressed in white, who is reported by Mrs. Marian Barr of Waltham as having jumped over the railing of the Dover street bridge into the water.

The story of the supposed suicide, as told by Mrs. Barr, is startling. Mrs Barr, who lives on Massasoit street, in Waltham, was a passenger on a Cambridge-bound trolley which was crossing the bridge at 10:30 o'clock. Mrs. Barr saw this woman standing by the bridge railing. Her white dress showed dimly in the darkness. Suddenly Mrs. Barr was horrified to see the woman clamber over the low iron rail and, without a word of warning, hurl herself into the dark and gloomy waters that flow sluggishly underneath the bridge. There was no sound of splashing in the water nor any outcrry from the woman after the fatal leap. From all appearances the woman went to the bottom without a struggle and before Mrs. Barr had time to collect her startled senses the car was at the end of the bridge.

Mrs. Barr immediately reported the matter to the police, who went to the bridge. They found no trace of the body of the supposed suicide, nor any note or other indication that anyone had jumped off the bridge. They found the conductor and motorman of the Cambridge trolley, but learned nothing from these men. To-day, as a last resort, they are dragging the water.

PROBING OF BRIBE CHARGES BY SUGHRUE WILL BEGIN AT ONCE

LINEHAN'S ACCUSATIONS, SAYS DISTRICT-ATTORNEY, WILL BE PROBED TO BOTTOM.

Called upon by the Board of Aldermen to probe the charges of graft and bribery made against ten members of the Board of Aldermen by Frank J. Linehan, District Attorney Sughrue will act. He stated to-day that he will go to the bottom of the charges which grew out of the National Dock Trust grab.

Until the resolutions calling for an investigation by him, adopted at yesterday's meeting of the Board of Aldermen, come to him officially, Mr. Sughrue refuses to state just how he will proceed. He expects to be notified officially of the board's action to-day.

"You understands the Board of Aldermen has taken action calling for an investigation by you as district attorney of the bribery charges by Alderman Linehan?" Mr. Sughrue was asked by a BOSTON AMERICAN reporter.

Does Not Know "Officially."

"I so understand, but not officially," he replied.

"What will you do now that an investigation has been requested by the aldermen?"

"I shall wait until I receive the official copy of the action of the board. I shall look it over, study it carefully, and then take action that I deem best," said Mr. Sughrue.

"Will you not state what the procedure is likely to be?"

"I cannot tell you that now," answered the district attorney. "But I will say that I intend to take immediate action after studying the resolutions adopted by the Board of Aldermen. When I start the investigation I will probe the matter to the bottom."

It is believed that one of the District Attorney's first acts will be to send for Alderman Linehan in the hope of securing the facts upon which the alderman based his charges.

"I'll go," says Alderman Linehan, "if I am sent for. I'll tell some interesting facts on this whole matter."

The order calling upon the District Attorney to investigate was introduced by Alderman Frothingham, is as follows:

> Ordered, That the district attorney be requested to cause an immediate investigation of the accusation of bribery made in the meeting of the Board of Aldermen, held August 7, 1905, against members of said board.

It was passed by a vote of 13 to 0. Alderman Linehan had a similar motion ready, but gave way to Alderman Frothingham and voted for the latter's order. Both orders took the place of one introduced by Alderman Hennessey, asking Frank J. Linehan to give to the District Attorney all the information he had on bribery.

Meeting Was Peaceful.

The meeting of the Board yesterday was peaceful in the extreme. Everybody wanted to investigate everybody else. Alderman Linehan wanted to investigate himself and everything in sight. After a real sure enough investigation had been set on foot, the Aldermen turned to weightier matters.

Previously, upon motion of Alderman Louis M. Clark, an order had been passed expunging from the record certain of the proceedings of August 7, with the result that by the passage of Alderman Clark's order the vote of 10 to 1 which passed the Dock Trust order over the Mayor's veto stands as the one truly legal vote—as far as the Aldermen are concerned, and Chairman Whelton notwithstanding.

The chairman will seek the opinion of Counsel Babson, but in the meantime the city clerk will to-day forward the Dock Trust track order to the Railroad Commission which has final jurisdiction in the matter. The opponents of the Dock Trust tracks will carry their fight to that commission, and will seek to have the order turned down there. Once the commission refuses to give its permission to the laying of the tracks, the measure is dead forever.

PEACE CRISIS COMES ON FOUR BIG POINTS

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., Aug. 15.—Three of the demands made by the Japanese envoys in the peace terms submitted to the Russians have been accepted by the latter and have been put into proper form and language for insertion in the treaty of peace that will be made in case the present conference results satisfactorily.

At to-day's session the question as to the disposition of Port Arthur will be taken up, and doubtless settled according to the Japanese demands, but the envoys from both nations realize that the crucial point in the negotiations is at hand.

The three questions already settled and that to come up to-day are mere preliminaries to the real struggle. It is now known to Baron Komura and his colleagues that the Czar has given Witte instructions to remain firm on four points and to refuse unequivocally the following demands:

The payment of an indemnity.
The cession of Sakhalin Island.
The limitation of Russia's naval force in the East.
The surrender of the interned warships.

CRUX MAY COME TO-NIGHT.

These are the vital points, and the time for taking them up is at hand. They may be reached before night. They will probably be reached by to-morrow at least. And it is certain that if none of these ques-

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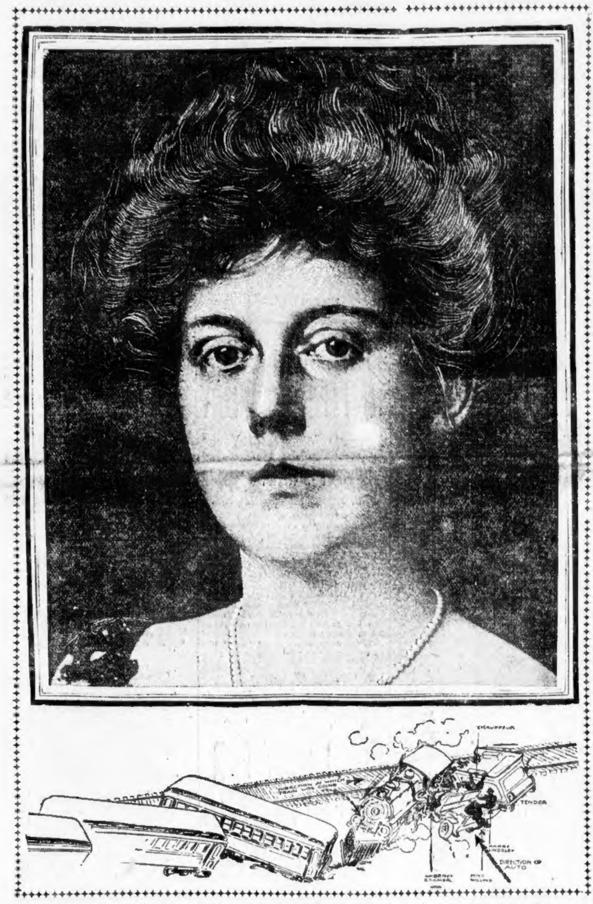
Rich Girl and Fiance Instantly Killed.

DIE IN AUTO WRECK



MISS EVELYN WILLING AND DIAGRAM OF HOW SHE WAS KILLED.

Train Crashes Into Motor Car and Throws Couple Fifty Feet Through the Air.

BENNINGTON, Vt., Aug. 15.—Miss Evelyn Willing, a wealthy Chicago girl, and her fiance, Harris Lindsley, deputy police commissioner of New York, who were to have been married this Fall, were thrown fifty feet through the air and instantly killed by a collision between an automobile in which they were riding and a train on the Rutland railroad near this city.

Ambrose Cramer, of Chicago, a nephew of Miss Willing, and the chauffeur, Tom Adamson, of New York, were badly injured. The auto was smashed and afterwards caught fire and burned, and the train was thrown from the track. No one on the train was injured.

The party was returning from Williamstown, Mass., when the accident occurred. Miss Willing and Mr. Lindsley were riding on the back seat. The boy and the chauffeur were in front.

Couldn't See Train.

The road leading to the north in the direction of Manchester, where Miss Willing was spending the Summer, runs up a steep incline to the railroad tracks. The track approaches the crossing on a curve and through a cut, which shuts off approaching trains from view.

The automobile was just passing over

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FIREMEN SAVE NEARLY A SCORE FROM DEATH

Nearly a score of persons were rescued from suffocation or death in the flames during a fire which may have been incendiary, in the wooden dwelling house at Nos. 14-18 West Fifth street, South Boston, shortly before dawn to-day. Lieutenant Connors and Augustus Baldwin, Cornelius Donovan and Martin Flavin of Chemical 8, Truck 5, and Lieutenant Muldoon of Chemical 8 led in the work of rescue. Baldwin, Donovan and Flavin rushed up the narrow stairways, rousing the tenants and leading a number of them to the roof.

On the first floor were Mrs. Ellen Markley and Miss Ellen Davis, her granddaughter, who reached the street without assistance. On the second floor the firemen found Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Malla and family. Each fireman took a child in his arms and led the parents to the roof. Patrick Flaherty, his wife and four children, were helped through windows into the arms of firemen on ladders and taken safely down the steep descent to the street.

Mrs. Bridget O'Brien, sixty-five years old, who was overcome by smoke, was taken down a ladder from the upper floor. Mrs. Catherine Durand, who is about seventy years old and an invalid, was unable to move, and, gasping and choking in the dense smoke, was taken in his arms by Fireman Flavin and carried down stairs. The fireman was alomst overcome while saving the woman, and after he had staggered into the street and turned his human burden over to his comrades, said:

"I don't see how I did it."

The fire began in the cellar, where a tenant had left a pile of oil soaked wood and other inflammable material, which he had stored for fuel. Tenants and firemen are wondering if some fireburg applied a match.

Some of the tenants say that they believe that an attempt was made to burn them alive. They want an investigation.

"JACK HARKAWAY'S SON"

A Story of Thrilling Adventure, Afloat and Ashore, by a Bright, Manly Boy, Will Begin in the BOSTON AMERICAN TOMORROW. By CAPT. RICHARD RUDD, Author of the Famous Story, "Who Killed Gerald Brown?"

BANKER SELIGMAN CONTINUES CONFERENCE WITH ENVOY WITTE

BELIEVED TO HAVE BEARING ON FINANCE

Visit of Great Jewish Money Kings of Deep Significance at Portsmouth.

REFORMS ARE DEMANDED

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tions arises by that time that they will be the only matters left by Thursday.

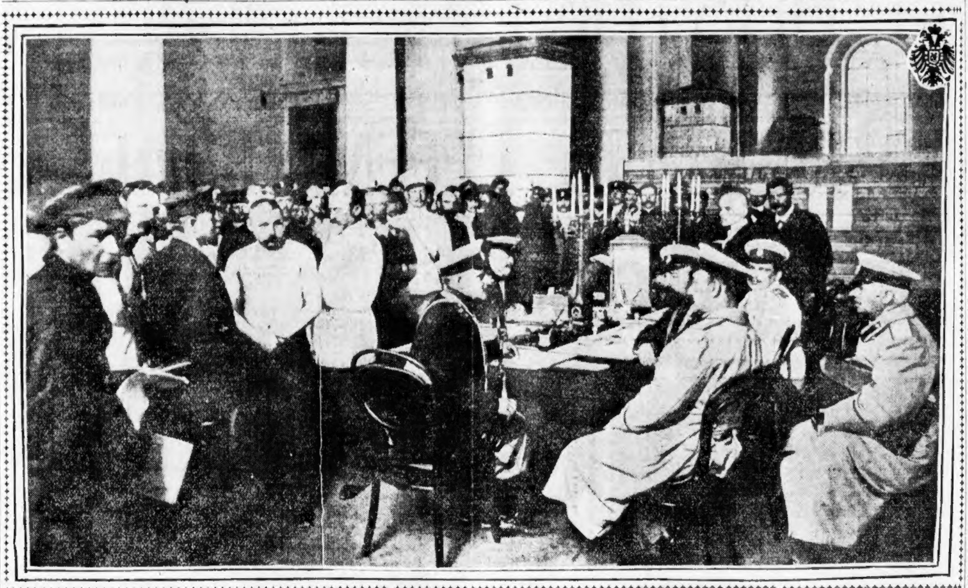
It is true that the Czar intimated that his instructions to Witte might be changed. This, however, is regarded as a remote possibility only, and one hopes for any radical changes in the Czar's orders to his representative.

That the Japanese will insist on the acceptance of their terms practically as they are submitted is the general belief. One Russian, a member of the mission, has declared that he expects to be on his way to Russia by next week. By this he implied and meant to imply his belief in the failure of the conference as soon as the conferees reached the crucial points in controversy.

Another Russian, however, intimated that the Czar might, in the case the negotiations came to a deadlock, instruct Witte to reject two of the proposals and accept two. If this should come about it is thought that the Japanese envoys would be magnanimous enough to meet their opponents halfway, and then peace would be assured. This view is held only by the most optimistic.

It is probable that the Japs would forego their demands for the interned ships and the limitation of Russia's naval force, but would insist on an indemnity and the cession of Sakhalin. These points, however, are the very ones on which the Czar is most insistent.

So the matter rests at present. The fateful day cannot be postponed much longer, and the possibility of a break in the negotiations, with all this preliminary work gone for naught, causes the intense feeling of anxiety that pervades all officialdom here to-day.



MILITARY DOCTORS' COMMISSION EXAMINING RESERVISTS, PICKED FROM THE MOST INTELLIGENT OF THE PEASANTRY

While the Czar's envoys are discussing peace terms with the Mikado's representatives the Czar continues his preparations to keep on fighting.

Eighty thousand reservists, mostly Russian mill hands, have been summoned to St. Petersburg. They are marched to the Michael Riding School in batches of 1,200 daily, where they are examined for army duty. They are completely isolated from their relatives and friends, and are guarded by the armed troops to prevent disturbances.

CZAR MAY AGREE TO CEDE LOWER HALF OF SAKHALIN

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 15.—Officials connected with the foreign office assert that the reports which have been circulated to the effect that outside influences have been brought to bear to induce Russia to make peace during the present conference being held at Portsmouth are untrue. These officials state that none of the powers has offered any advice on the subject.

The correspondent of the Publishers Press is in a position to state that Russia may agree to the cession of the southern part of Sakhalin as one of the terms of peace.

SIGNIFICANT VISIT OF JEWISH BANKERS

By J. Frank Davis.

THE WENTWORTH, Newcastle, N. H., Aug. 15.—While the peace envoys began the discussion of the fourth clause of the demand to-day, Bankers Schiff, Strauss, Lewisohn and Krauss left the hotel, Mr. Schiff for Bar Harobr, Mr. Strauss for New York and the others for their homes. With their departure ended one of the most significant incidents thus far of the peace conference.

Isaac Seligman of the great banking house of Seligman Bros. of New York, did not leave Portsmouth early to-day as he intended. Before he retired after last night's conference with M. Witte he received a request for a further interview. This interview took place to-day before breakfast. It is believed that the subject under consideration directly concerned financial matters.

To the last the Jewish bankers insisted that their only purpose was to see M. Witte regarding the amelioration of the condition of Russian Jews.

Mr. Schiff, who acted as spokesman for the others, said that they had no financial purpose in coming to the Wentworth.

He and all the rest said that in the midst of the peace conference that marks a most momentous period in Russian history, with his days and nights filled with most exhausting efforts to secure peace for his country with the least possible loss of prestige, M. Witte gave four hours of his uninterrupted time to a discussion of the condition of the Russian Jews—a matter that could be discussed as well after the adjournment of the peace conference as during its progress, presuming that it had no bearing on the question of finance.

THREE ARTICLES FOR TREATY.

The bankers spoke all together when they departed; when they arrived they were not entirely prepared for the onslaught of the correspondents, and at least one of them admitted that it would be delicately indicated to M. Witte and Baron Rosen that if the Russian nation desired to borrow money from the Hebrew bankers it would be well for her to look to the condition of their fellow Jews at home.

The conference is moving rapidly—much more rapidly than even the principals had believed possible a day or so ago. Only Saturday night M. Witte said he believed it would take two days to discuss each of the twelve articles in the Japanese terms. Since then there have been two sessions, aggregating six hours, and already three articles have been agreed to, the language of them has been decided upon, by both sides, and they are ready to be inserted into the treaty everyone hopes is forthcoming.

"Will they be put in the treaty?" we asked Mr. Sato at the evening gathering he has been pleased to term his "daily class meeting."

"They could be," he replied diplomatically.

There is no more official information than there has been from the first. That three clauses have been discussed and settled is all the brief notices have told. Yet it is common belief based on more than surmise, that the clauses are the protectorate of Korea, the evacuation of Manchuria, and the cession to Japan of the Eastern Chinese railroad.

JAPS WIN EVERY POINT.

These, being matters that Japan has settled by force of arms, offered no greater difficulties to the envoys than a matter of wording and detail. It is as certain as anything can be in the absence of really official information that Japan has won every point thus far in the diplomatic game at the Navy Yard.

The men who are in a position to float stupendous loans for the payment of peace indemnity, or "reimbursement," spent the night at the Wentworth. They visited M. Witte at eight o'clock; it was midnight when they came out.

The only person present except M. Witte, Baron Rosen and the five bankers, was M. Wilinkin. M. Wilinken is the financial agent of Russia in the United States.

This is the statement that was prepared in the room, after M. Witte had looked out, seen a score of correspondents in the corridor and quickly stepped back again. It was written in the presence of all the parties to the session:

HOPE FOR JEWS' RELIEF.

"Mr. Witte explained with much frankness the condition of the Jewish population in Russia, while the American gentlemen endeavored to explain to the Russian gentlemen the state of public opinion in the United States and to impress them with the impatience on the part of the American people with the restrictive and suppressive laws exercised by the Russian government against its Jewish subjects.

"While the discussion, in its nature, could not well lead to immediate practical results, the gentlemen present at the conference, which lasted several hours, believe that in course of time, and indirectly, the frank exchange of opinions and views which has been had cannot but bear beneficial consequences."

After the issuance of the statement, the Hebrew bankers showed great discretion in their treatment of the subject, insisting with that perfect unanimity which is especially characteristic of a story that has been carefully rehearsed, that finances had never entered into their conversation.

"UNDER THE BAMBOO TREE."

After the great heat of last week, the chill of last evening was uncomfortable. The piazzas were almost deserted. The guests gathered in the reception room, the palm room and the parlors, and a bright fire crackled in the fireplace.

Fluffy shawls covered erstwhile bare shoulders. Less lemonade and much more coffee was drank at the tables than during the previous days of the meeting.

Members of the official parties mingled freely with the other guests. In a semicircle sat half a dozen Summer girls, Lieutenant-Commander Takshita and two other young and good-looking Japanese. They chatted blithely and the girls aroused enthusiasm by singing "Under the Bamboo Tree" for the foreigners. The song started in an undertone; before the refrain was finished it had become a general chorus.

Back and forth through the guests whose visit is simply a stay at a Summer hotel hurried the newspaper men, each along his especial line of investigation. About half the American correspondents have formed a "Business men's club." That means they do not dress for dinner. The membership is growing nightly, as the work becomes more difficult and the nervous tension harder.

JAPS ARE MOST RETICENT.

The reticence of the Japanese, if it has not increased, has not lessened. Few of the members of the mission will admit their ability to speak English when questioned by reporters, although a number of them are fluent speakers of the language. All questions bearing upon the conference put to those few who will admit they can understand are referred to the diplomatic Mr. Sato, who answers them in the most courteous manner compatible with absolute lack of information.

The Russians have been slightly more reticent since the incident that followed the copious talking of M. Korosovtz last Friday night, when his announcement of the practical contents of four of the Japanese demands was a cause of Japanese wrath. They generally decline to speak of the peace terms, although they are not so hard to approach on other collateral subjects as the Japanese.

M. Potokiloff, Russian Minister to China, is regarded as one of the best authorities in Europe on the Eastern question. He has resided for many years in China, and is one of the few Europeans who have learned to converse fluently in Chinese.

DISCUSSES YELLOW PERIL.

M. Potokiloff discussed for a few moments last evening the much talked of "Yellow Peril."

"Do you believe it possible that Japan and China may some day unite against the world," he was asked.

"That is a broad question," he said. "It would be difficult to reply. 'Some day' is a long time away."

"Is there any present indication of an alliance between the two nations of the yellow race?"

"Not of any imminent alliance. The Chinese, as a rule, are not especially friendly to Japan. Yet there are many Chinese—we might call them the pro-Japanese party—who would favor a joining of the nations. How long it would be before China would agree to it; how long the colonization by Japan might have to continue before the Japanese could sufficiently gain power to influence China to be led by her—that I cannot say."

Lieutenant-Commander Takshita, whose merry face and athletic figure are in almost constant view in the reception hall, will talk of anything and everything in the world but the peace terms. To a rather simple question regarding the probable length of negotiations to-day, he said:

"Can one determine questions of such importance in a minute?" He looked across the tennis court, where Correspondent Souvorine, of the St. Petersburg Novo Vremya and three friends were playing a rattling game. "The destinies of nations are not to be moved as rapidly as little tennis balls," he said.

STRAUS CONFIDENT PEACE WILL COME

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., Aug. 15.—"I cannot conceive that peace will not grow out of these negotiations."

This was the utterance of Hon. Oscar Straus, former United States minister to Turkey and one of the American representatives at The Hague court of arbitration. The statement followed the conference which Mr. Straus and his four Hebrew colleagues had last night with M. Witte and Baron Rosen relative to the condition of their race in Russia.

Exactly what transpired at that meeting is not positively known. The statement given out at midnight by Mr. Seligman, who acted as spokesman, shows many erasures and interlineations. It made no mention of a discussion of questions affecting the war, but it has been assumed that the presence of three representatives of big Wall Street bankers was availed of by the Russian envoys to feel the financial pulse in view to the possible eventuality of Russia requiring money in the near future, either to continue the war or meet Japan's bill for the cost of the war. Coming fresh from such a Russian atmosphere, Mr. Straus's optimism is deemed significant. He declared that he was firmly convinced that Japan and Russia both desired peace.

Convinced War Will End.

"History discloses no case wherein belligerent nations who having met such heavy losses in war and who have been brought together as have these, have failed to conclude a peace," he declared.

"It might require time," he said, but he was firmly convinced that the war in the Far East would be brought to a termination as the direct if not immediate result of the Portsmouth conference. The thoroughness with which the Jewish situation in Russia was entered into last night is shown by the fact that the discussion lasted from 9 o'clock till twelve, when the expectation had been that no more than an hour would be occupied. Mr. Seligman's statement given to the press at the conclusion of the discussion announced that the talk had been conducted with the utmost freedom on both sides.

The members of the party besides Mr. Straus and Isaac N. Seligman were Adolph Lewisohn, Jacob H. Schiff, of the firm of Kuhn, Loeb & Co., and Adolph Kraus, the editor of a Jewish publication in Chicago.

Want American Friendship.

They constituted a committee of five representing the Hebrew societies of the United States which for the past few years have been aggressively laboring to secure reforms for members of their race in Russia.

Just what was the ulterior object of Mr. Witte in summoning these men here is largely conjectural, but it is assumed from the outcome of their deliberations that the Russian government is anxious to regain the friendship and esteem of the people of the United States through the establishment of reforms which it heretofore has declined to consider.

Mr. Straus and Mr. Seligman took up the Kishineff incident, the handling of which by Count Cassini placed the Russian Ambassador at odds with his government, and they showed how the United States government, through President Roosevelt and the American people through petitions, had vainly striven to secure from Russia a mere expression of regret over the horrible massacre of defenceless persons at that place and an intimation that some relief should be afforded for the future.

M. Witte Sympathetic.

They attributed in a large measure the anti-Russian feeling in this country to the supineness of the authorities in not acting in a matter which had aroused the sympathy of the entire civilized world.

M. Witte was very much impressed by the presentation of the case by these distinguished Hebrews, and gave them assurances that he would do all in his power upon his return to Russia to better the condition of the Jews there, and make the laws less stringent upon them.

M. Witte was the more sympathetic in his attitude towards the committee because his own wife is a member of the downtrodden race.

GOOD PROGRESS MADE BY ENVOYS, SAYS TAKAHIRA

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., Aug. 15.—Kogoro Takahira, junior peace envoy of Japan and Minister to the United States, to-day for the first time expressed himself on the progress of the negotiations. He is distinctly satisfied with the progress thus far made, it would appear from his statement. Up to this point he has been pessimistic.

He says now:

"I do not care to express hope or fear of the result by the conference, but I can say that the progress already made has been surprisingly good. I am well satisfied."

"Is there indication at the present stage that success will be the result and this conference will end the war?"

"Really I cannot see any indication of one result or the other just now. There have been developments, to be sure, and they have been progressive. But the situation is not yet clear."

"Mr. Sato, in announcing the conclusion of articles one, two and three, stated that they had been taken up, discussed and disposed of. Does 'disposed of' in that connection mean agreed to?"

"It does. The progress has been good and satisfactory. As to the actual proceedings, I can say nothing, of course."

"Is it true that the influence of England and France has been felt in the deliberations of the envoys?"

"I have not been aware of it."

"Can you say whether or not the influences of these nations for peace have been directly exerted?"

"I can only say that there has been no evidence of it in the conference."

OYAMA BETTERS HIS POSITION IN FIELD

GUNSHU PASS, Aug. 15.—Judging from indications it is evident that Field Marshal Oyama is changing his dispositions and reducing his forces in Manchuria to augment those in Korea, where his front extends through Tchabootoun, Tchantafon, Schaktotto and Manchentz, constituting an uninterrupted series of powerful fortifications, mounted with siege guns.

MOURNED WIFE; WAS IN PRISON

PROVIDENCE, Aug. 15.—While Michael Coleman, of No. 51 Purchase street, East Providence, was mourning the disappearance of his wife Nellie, Mrs. Coleman was in the House of Correction. She had been arrested for shoplifting on August 1, and under the assumed name of Annie Smith was fined $10 and costs. Not having cash, she was committed until she worked out fine and costs, which will keep her at Cranston until November 17. This she preferred to do rather than give her right name and let her husband know where she was.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

Stuart's DYSPEPSIA TABLETS

cure all kinds of dyspepsia, loss of appetite, gas in the stomach or bowels, palpitation of the heart and every form of stomach trouble. For sale by all druggists at 50 cents a package.

MAKES CUTS IN FRENCH CLAIMS

Bills Against Venezuela Are Scaled by Vermont Auditor.

NORTHFIELD, Vt., Aug. 15.—Frank Plumley of this town, the referee recommended by President Roosevelt to pass upon the claims of France against Venezuela, has allowed claims agregating over $640,00.

The cases involved 40,000,000 francs ($10,000,000) in damages alleged to have been sustained by French citizens in Venezuela during the insurrection of 1901. Of the eight cases two were dismissed for want of equity and one was disallowed.

Mr. Plumley's powers are absolute by consent of both nations. He announced his decision to the representatives of the two governments, Count Periri de la Rocca and Dr. Jose de J. Paul. The disallowed claim was the largest one presented, amounting to 9,500,728 francs.

The commissioners and the referee will meet again to-day for the attestation of the records and the disposition of other formal matters.

Mr. Plumley and Mrs. Plumley, with Count Periri, will spend the remainder of the week at Newport, but Dr. Paul leaves for Caracas.

Mr. Plumley was suggested by Senator Proctor to President Roosevelt. He had been connected with the British-Venezuelan and Holland-Venezuelan mixed commissions which sat in Caracas in 1903. Opinions of his, bearing on those disputes, established two precedents in international law.

LINEHAN, STAR AT BANNER CLUB

Alderman Frank J. Linehan will be the orator at the moonlight excursion of the Ward 18 Banner Club to-night. The Alderman and Councillor M. J. Sullivan will be the principal guests of President Thomas Fay of the club. The steamer Favorite of the Bass Point line will convey the members and friends. A concert at which professional talent will appear is a part of the program. In the event of rain the excursion will take place Friday evening.

TRIES SUICIDE 5 TIMES, 1 DAY

Desperate Attempts of Young Hatch with Rope, Water and Knife.

EAST WEYMOUTH, Aug. 15.—Randall L. Hatch, twenty-two years old, tried five times in one day to end his life and failed. He was at last locked up by the police with a guard kept over him.

He first jumped from his room window and fell all in a heap. He was picked up, unhurt, by his brother, with whom he lives. The latter then tied him firmly in a chair, but a few minutes later the young man leaped through the window with the chair tied to him. He took glass, sash and screen with him as he went, but the rope parted and he escaped unharmed.

He got away, however, and jumped into the canal and was rescued by Harry Proctor, who tried to take him home. They had gone but a short distance when Hatch broke away and plunged into the canal again. It took four men to drag him out.

On the way back home he managed to get out his pocketknife and made a slash at his throat. Before he could cut himself he was overpowered and the knife taken away. It took five men to get him to the police station.

POOR RIOT FOR BREAD IN SPAIN

MADRID, Aug. 15.—In Andalusia 100,000 laborers are without the necessities of life, and several of the districts are at the mercy of the rioters. In some of the villages bakeshops have been broken into and all the bread on hand stolen and divided among the populace. Many of the landlords are seeking safety in flight.

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BARR WON NEW HONORS IN RUN OF YACHT CLUB

New York Fleet Makes Splendid Trip From New London to Newport.

SOME CLOSE SPEED DUELS

By Duncan Curry.

NEWPORT, Aug. 15.—With their noses buried in foam, the New York Yacht Club fleet has swept into Newport Harbor after a glorious forty-mile run from New London in a fresh easterly wind. As the wind was almost dead on end for three-quarters of the journey the yachtsmen enjoyed their first taste of windward work, and while the seas were a trifle heavy for the little fellows, all but one or two came through without much trouble. The schooner Katrina, however, lost her bowsprit a few moments after the start, and G. M. Pynchot's thirty-footer Neola II. found the going too rough for her and put back to New London.

Barr Takes Honors.

The Yankee and Mineola had another of their marine duels and Barr again carried off the honors, winning a close race by 1 minute 7 seconds, most of which young Harry Maxwell, who was sailing the Yankee, threw away at the start.

The Mineola also captured the commodore's cup for sloops, provided the thirty-footers are ruled out for not carrying boats. Among the other single stickers the new Herreshoff Doris carried off the honors in the fifty-seven-foot, beating Huma, Shark and Irolit, while the Mira won among the smaller sloops and the Cara Mia in the New York Yacht Club's special thirty-foot class.

The Corona and Elmina had another close race in the schooner class, the former boat winning by 1 minute 52 seconds. The real honors of the two-sticker division were won by L. J. Callanan's Kiwassa, which not only won in her class, but captured the commodore's cup for schooners as well. The Kiwassa made a long port leg over to Block Island, which probably accounted for her victory. Lloyd Phoenix's Intrepid won the big auxiliaries and the Venecdor in the smaller class, while the Valencor and Muriel carried off the honors in the small schooner classes.

Astor Races To-day.

The races for the Astor cups, the most important event of the cruise, will be sailed off here to-day for two trophies presented by John Jacob Astor.

In the sloop class the entries include Gould Brokaw's yawl Sybarita, Stephen Peabody's yawl Vigilant, the two 70-footers Mineola and Yankee, the 60-footer Weetamoe, the 50-footer Doris and the little Mimosa III. and Mira. The schooners include the Corona, Elmina, Invader and Muriel.

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RICH MAN ASKS DIVORCE; SAYS WIFE ELOPED

Daughter of Prominent Minister Has to Face Serious Charges.

EDITOR NAMED IN SUIT

By Boston American Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, Aug. 15.—Messages of sympathy poured to-day into the home of the Rev. Dr. R. M. Stratton, one of the foremost workers of the Methodist Episcopal Church, living at No. 94 West One Hundred and Fourth street, when it became known that an allegation of martail infelicity had been made against his daughter, Mrs. Priscilla D. Bell, by her husband, Harry C. Bell, wealthy merchant and clubman of Chicago. The Stratton family is an old and honored one of this city.

Mr. Bell asks for absolute divorce. In his allegations he charges that his wife, who is strikingly beautiful, eloped to Europe last June with William H. Hibbard, one of the editors of the New York Journal of Commerce. Mrs. Bell was seen in the reception room of her father's home to-day by a American reporter. She denied her husband's charges absolutely and in strong terms.

Husband Approved Trip.

She was lying on a couch attired in a red kimona. Her eyes were red, mute testimony of her suffering.

"I cannot account for my husband's charges against me," she said. "Of course, they are untrue, absolutely untrue, and when the proper time comes the whole world will see how terribly I have been maligned by the publication of the false allegations against me.

"I do not know what has come over my husband. He was always very jealous of my beauty. In fact he was so jealous that he would never even let me out of his sight at times.

"He was kind and loving and was proud of me. My every wish was granted by him and that even up to last June. I became ill at that time and my physician advised me to take a sea voyage. My husband consented to this. He seemed greatly depressed, however, because he could not accompany me. His business, however, prevented this.

Had Him Arrested.

"Why, he even bought my ticket from Chicago to Europe and return. We had a tearful parting, but I told him I would be gone only a month. Then I came on to New York and went to the home of my father. There my illness was intensified because of the change of climate and I had to stay in New York for six weeks.

"My husband and I were in daily communication. He knew my every movement. Our letters were kind and loving.

"Imagine my surprise then, when I received a note from my husband saying that he no longer loved me, and that he did not care for me to return to him.

"I hurried back to Chicago at once, and had him arrested, postponing the European voyage.

Meanness and Trickery.

"This suit is based on my husband's meanness and trickery. He was ordered to pay me $25 per week by the Illinois court, and to offset this obligation he has gone to extreme measures.

"I deplore most of all my father having been dragged into this affair. But he knows that I am innocent of the charges made by Mr. Bell. My father is in Chicago with papers for an absolute divorce suit and will see that they are served on Mr. Bell at once, and I am as certain that I will win as I am that I am alive.

"I deny every allegation made wherein my name is connected with William H. Hibbard's. I can account for every instant of my time since I left my home in Chicago and when my husband falsely declares I was on a European voyage."

But Mrs. Bell will fight the suit bitterly. She has engaged lawyers, and, aided by her old father, she is procuring affidavits for use in the legal battle that impends. She will bring to Chicago sworn statements by Mr. Hubbard, by Guadulupe Ojeda, her pretty Mexican maid, and others.

The detectives, a woman an a man, who are still watching Mrs. Bell, brought back from Europe "a trunkful of evidence," they allege.

Mr. Bell is wealthy, a member of the best clubs, manager of the Cupples Envelope Company of New York.

DORCHESTER ON RANDAGE TRIP

Four hundred and fifty-two Dorchester children are the guests of the Randage Fund trustees to-day in an excursion to Long Island. The children who make up the "Dorchester Day" party are taken from St. Mary's Orphan Asylum, the Frederick Ozaan House and the poor of St. Peter's parish. Alderman William J. Hennessey, assisted by several young men and women of the district, in charge of the party.

Twelve special cars conveyed the party to Commercial wharf, where the boat was taken for the island.

CATHOLICS OBSERVE ASSUMPTION FEAST

With masses and special ceremonies the feast of the Assumption was observed to-day in the Catholic churches. The principal exercises were in the Cathedral of the Holy Cross on Washington street. The mixed choir sang under the direction of Organist James Whelan and the male sanctuary choir was directed by Thomas J. Hurley. Services will be held this evening in all churches.

TO SELL BIRTHPLACE OF ABRAHAM LINCOLN

LOUISVILLE, Aug. 15.—Abraham Lincoln's birthplace, a farmhouse located a few miles from Hodgenville, Ky., is to be sold at a commissioner's sale an August 28, because the owner, A. W. Denetee of New York, was forced into bankruptcy. He paid $3,000 for the place.

PROTECTING HOME FROM INTRUSION DEFENCE FOR KILLING DETECTIVE

Right of Forcible Resistance to Entrance of Undesired Visitors to Come Up in Evans Trial.

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man lying on the threshold of the door leading from the hall to the kitchen.

"The man was alive and gasping. I felt of his pulse, but it was not beating. The defendant was there in the kitchen, handcuffed.

"I said, 'It is all up with this man.' I saw a bullet hole in his left breast, blackened around the edges. The man died in from five to eight minutes."

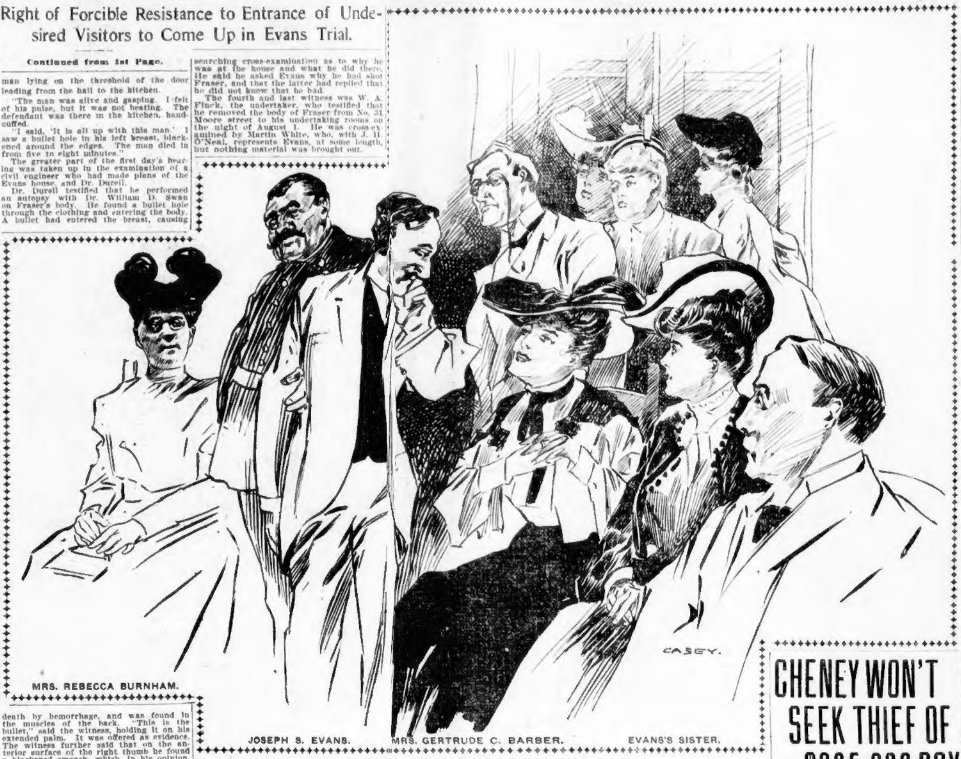
The greater part of the first day's hearing was taken up in the examination of a civil engineer who had made plans of the Evans house, and Dr. Durell.

Dr. Durell testified that he performed an autopsy with Dr. William D. Swan on Fraser's body. He found a bullet hole through the clothing and entering the body. A bullet had entered the breast, causing death by hemorrhage, and was found in the muscles of the back. "This is the bullet," said the witness, holding it on his extended palm. It was offered as evidence. The witness further said that on the anterior surface of the right thumb he found a blackened smooch, which, in his opinion, was due to powder.

Sergeant James M. Harmon testified that he was called to No. 31 Moore street at 11:05 p. m. August 1. He found a man lying on the floor of the kitchen with his head across the threshold of the door leading from the front hallway into the kitchen. He saw what appeared to be a spot of blood on his breast. The man was dead. The body was delivered to the undertaker.

Sergeant Harmon was subjected to a searching cross-examination as to why he was at the house and what he did there. He said he asked Evans why he had shot Fraser, and that the latter had replied that he did not know that he had.

The fourth and last witness was W. A. Finck, the undertaker, who testified that he removed the body of Fraser from No. 31 Moore street to his undertaking rooms on the night of August 1. He was cross-examined by Martin White, who, with J. H. O'Neal, represents Evans, at some length, but nothing material was brought out.



MRS. REBECCA BURNHAM. JOSEPH S. EVANS. MRS. GERTRUDE C. BARBER. EVANS'S SISTER.

Sketched in Court by Boston American Staff Artist.

PRINCIPAL FIGURES AT OPENING OF EVANS MURDER HEARING.

BURIED WOMAN IN RUBBISH BOX

Because the body of Mrs. Ann Flaherty, an aged domestic who was for some months a public charge of the city of Newton, was found buried in a cheap pine box, which was half-filled with rubbish, Overseer of the Poor E. M. Fowle to-day debarred Undertaker E. W. Pratt, who buried the body, from receiving any public burial contracts in the future.

The discovery that the body of the dead woman had been improperly buried was made yesterday, when Undertaker John Flood, who was employed by friends of the dead woman to move the body from the Newton Cemetery to a private lot in Calvary Cemetery, Waltham, uncovered the body.

SIENKIEWICZ IS PRISONER

WARSAW, Aug. 15.—Henrik Sienkiewicz, author of "Quo Vadis" and famous as a Polish novelist, has been sentenced by Governor-General Maximovitch to detention for an indeterminate period in his residence for signing and publishing papers protesting against the Russification of schools in Poland. A number of other notables were similarly punished.

Sienkiewicz published an article in which he described school life in Poland as "a round of chagrin, torment and tragedy. The years of youth and adolescence are years of suffering and torture."

GIRL COLLAPSES IN TUNNEL; OVERWORK

Mabel Stable of No. 4,372 Washington street, Roslindale, fell unconscious while riding through the East Boston Tunnel. She was taken to the Relief Hospital. Overwork is thought to have been the cause of her weakness.

SHARKS CHASE 2 SWIMMERS

By Boston American Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, Aug. 15.—William Rockett and Joseph Gassney of Stamford had a narrow escape from the jaws of two man-eating sharks in Long Island Sound. The two men were swimming off Collander Point, when suddenly they heard a splashing behind them, and saw the dorsal fins of two sharks snap as the great fishes made for them. They swam for a rock, but the sharks gained rapidly upon them. They had given up hope of escape, when they reached water so shallow that the sharks had to stop.

Just as they reached the rock a storm broke, and the wind raised the water until the man-eaters could again approach them. For two hours they sat with their feet doubled up under them while the sharks plunged at them.

Their calls for help were heard when the storm abated, when Marcus Jansen, the captain of the William Zeigler yacht, put out in a launch and took them from their perilous position. Both men were overcome by their frightful experience and had to be lifted from the rock to the boat.

BLEW OPEN P. O. SAFE, GOT $800

WHITE RIVER JUNCTION, Vt., Aug. 15.—The postoffice at Wilder was visited by burglars and the safe, an old-fashioned one, blown open with nitroglycerine.

The burglars secured $700 in cash and about $100 worth of postage stamps. Besides the regular funds of the office Postmaster J. M. Quimby had a sum of his own money and the water rents collections for the village of Wilder. It is the second time the office has been burglarized since he has been postmaster.

No trace of the burglars has been found, and it is believed they got away in an automobile.

CANAL ENGINEER QUITS.

PANAMA, Aug. 15.—W. E. Dauchty, who has been the engineer in charge of the Culebra division of the canal work, and was an appointe of former Chief Engineer Wallace, has resigned and left for New York. The engineering operations on the canal are now suspended pending sanitary work. Many employes will return to the United States during the idle period.

SOON TO BE A BRIDE DIES IN AUTO CRASH

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e crossing when the train from the rth struck the machine near the rear. r. Lindsley and Miss Willing were directly) the line with the tender of the engine, hich was running backward. They landed n their heads on some rocks beside the ack. Their heads were crushed and their odies badly bruised.

Young Cramer and the chauffeur were so thrown out of the automobile and ere picked up stunned and bruised.

Word of the accident was sent to the own, and ambulances sent to the scene. he bodies of the killed were removed o a local undertaking rooms, while the njured were taken to the hospital in this own, and later to the hotel in Manchester.

The crossing at which the accident hapened is unprotected by either a flagman r a gate, and several persons have been illed at the same place.

Trainmen Jumped.

The train consisted of the engine and two cars. The engineer was William Sibley and the fireman William Magnam. Both of them jumped when they felt the engine leave the rails, and as they did so the engine was overturned, after ripping up the track for nearly one hundred feet. The passengers on the train escaped with a slight shaking up.

Both Engineer Sibley and Fireman Magnam stated after the accident that they did not see the automobile until the engine was almost upon it.

Miss Willing was a daughter of the late Henry J. Willing, who was a partner of Marshall Field for many years. Both Mr. Willing and his wife died some years ago.

Mr. Lindsley was appointed third deputy police commissioner in 1904. He was a member of the Strollers' and Princeton clubs of New York, and the Metropolitan Club of Washington. He graduated from Princeton in 1893 and was a lawyer.

MELROSE LAD WEDS ACTRESS?

A marriage license was issued in Providence to Ralph Lewis Hatch of Melrose and Miss Josephine Agnes Downey, an actress with "Hearts of Gold" company, now rehearsing in New York. Young Hatch is alleged to have given his age as twenty-one and Miss Downey as nineteen. Hatch is in reality nineteen years old.

The boy's father, Frederick L. Hatch of No. 46 Sargent street, Melrose Highlands, expressed surprise at the report. "My son told me he married Miss Downey last March," said Mr. Hatch. "There must be some mistake, for I received a letter from him, dated Sunday and mailed at 9:30 Sunday night in Brooklyn. If he is married I can only say I am very sorry, as he is entirely too young."

Up to a short time ago young Hatch worked in the Bowdoin Square Theatre. He did not make good as an actor, and when he announced that he was going to join the "Hearts of Gold" company his family was surprised. They are now awaiting news from him to find out if he is married or the license is a joke.

AUTO FOR TOUR, CAR FOR HOTEL

James T. Harahan, second vice-president of the Illinois Central railroad, is spending his vacation as only a millionaire could do. He is an ardent automobilist, and a few weeks ago planned a trip across the country in his automobile, and sent his special car along to use as a travelling hotel.

Last night he drove down from Boston to Beverly in his automobile and met his special car, which had been sent down earlier in the day.

Mr. Harahan and his wife to-day go to Marblehead, where they will probably spend a day or so and witness the coming in of the New York Yacht Club on its annual cruise.

From Marblehead they will go along the Maine Coast to Bar Harbor, and will make a run through the White Mountains. Nights are spent aboard the private car.

WOMAN'S BODY LEFT IN CELLAR

Relatives of Mrs. Christiana M. Green, who died of heart disease on her lawn at No. 143 Central street, Somerville, are indignant at the neglect of her body through orders of Clerk William P. Mitchell of the Somerville Board of Health.

For five hours and a half the woman's body lay in the cellar of her home, waiting the examination of the medical examiner or his assistant. When Assistant Medical Examiner H. S. Johnson of Maplewood finally did arrive the body was in such condition it had to be taken to undertaking rooms for preparation for burial. The clerk refused to allow the undertaker to embalm the body until after it had been viewed.

Dr. Johnson said: "When there is absolutely no suspicion of suicide or foul play, I know of no law that prevents an undertaker from giving proper care to a body, pending the arrival of the medical examiner. An undertaker should have been permitted to take charge of the remains at once."

JUDGE TO GIVE AUTOS A SHOW

One automobilist was fined $10 for speeding his auto in the Everett boulevard of the Metropolitan Park system, and three others were charged with the same offence in the Malden District Court.

The automobilists complain of unfairness in the course over which they were timed. They say it is laid at the foot of a hill and that they have to get up speed to carry them over the brow of the hill.

Judge Bruce said that he would look over the course himself. "I do not consider," he remarked, "that the intent of the law is to get a revenue from automobile owners. I intend to see if the chauffeurs are given a fair show."

CHENEY WON'T SEEK THIEF OF $285,000 BOX

Stolen Securities Mysteriously Returned and Incident Is Closed.

SOUTHBRIDGE, Aug. 15.—Completely satisfied by the return of his securities valued at $285,000, which were mysteriously removed from his residence last January, Herman S. Cheney does not intend to make inquiry as to where they have been or who has had them. So far as he is concerned the matter is ended.

"I have no suspicions against anyone," he said. "I have got back my property. I shall not ask a warrant against anyone, for I know of no one I think guilty of taking my securities."

The securities were found at the home of Frank L. Chapin, Mr. Cheney's father-in-law, on Elm street. Mr. Chapin says that he is very much mystified as to how they came there. He and his family had been away for some weeks at their Summer home. They returned to meet their daughter, Mrs. Louise Morse of Quebec.

Naturally, they visited the closed-up Chapin house. Here is where Mr. Chapin says the mystery comes in.

"My house was locked up for the Summer," said Mr. Chapin. "When I found the box in the library on the table, I went about the house and tried every door and every window. All were securely fastened. It is a great mystery to me.

"How long the box had been there I have not the slightest idea."

Mrs. Cheney said that the box had been found wrapped in the same identical paper that was around it when it was last seen by Mr. Cheney, and that all of the securities were there.

"It was a great surprise to meet my sister Louise," said Mrs. Cheney, "when we returned from our vacation, for I never suspected that she was coming here.

"We were met at the door by father, who took us into the library," she said. "There we saw the box. We were overjoyed to find everything all right."

BOSTON STOCKS.

	Opening.	11 a. m.
Allouez	34	34
American Telephone	142½	143½
American Sugar	144½	144½
American Woolen	39	40
American Woolen preferred	103½	104
Atlantic	18	18
Boston & Maine	178	178
Coper Range	69	68½
Granby	7½	7¾
Greene Cons.	24⅞	24½
Mass Gas	88	88
Osceola	99	99
Tecumseh	7	7
United Cop.	35¾	35⅝
U. S. Mining	33	33
Union Pacific	133⅝	133¾

NEW YORK STOCKS.

	Opening	11 a. m.
Amal. Copper	84½	84⅝
Amer. Smelting	128⅝	128½
American Sugar	144¾	144¾
Atchison		90⅝
Baltimore & Ohio	114½	
Brooklyn Transit	70	70
Canadian Pacific	160⅝	160⅝
Ches. & Ohio	56⅞	57
Chicago, Great West	22	22¼
Erie	48½	48½
Erie 1st pfd	85½	85½
Louisville & Nashville	150½	150⅝
Metropolitan	128⅝	128⅝
Mexican Central	23½	23½
Missouri Pacific	104⅞	104⅝
New York Central	155⅜	155⅝
Norfolk & Western	86⅝	86¾
Ontario & Western	56	56
Pennsylvania	146⅝	145⅝
Reading	110½	110½
Rock Island	33¾	33⅝
Southern Pacific	67½	67⅝
St. Paul	185¼	185¾
T. C. & Iron	90	90
Union Pacific	133⅞	134
U. S. Steel	36⅞	36½
U. S. Steel pfd.	105	105

ROWED TO SAFETY FROM BURNING BOAT

PORTLAND, Me., Aug. 15.—The boat burned off Ram Island Saturday night has turned out to be a little yacht belonging to a Mr. Heidler of Boston, who, with his son, was cruising about when a gasolene explosion [illegible] place and the little craft took fire. [illegible] the yacht's tender man and boy rowed safely to Peak's [illegible] and Sunday returned to Boston.

BOY TAGGED TO 'MR. M'CARTHY' TO GET A HOME

Believed Vermont Lad Was Intended for Agent of Children's Board.

FOUND AT NORTH STATION

George Samuel Abbott, the eleven-year-old boy who came here from Tunbridge, Vt., tagged "Deliver to Mr. McCarthy, Boston," will be turned over to Agent McCarthy of the Children's Institutions Department to-day, as it is believed that the agent is the "Mr. McCarthy" intended on the tag.

The boy says he was born in Charlestown, that his father is dead and his mother sick and he has been living with a Tunbridge, Vt., family till sent here by them.

At the Chardon Street Home, where he spent the night, he made himself a favorite with the matron and the attendants. They noticed particularly what a cleanly little chap he is, which is not always the case with stray children. About 9 o'clock to-day he asked the matron:

"Can't I have a bath?"

As the matron feared Agent McCarthy would call for him any minute, she said:

"No, dear, wait a little while. If Mr. McCarthy comes you wouldn't want to be in the bathtub and keep him waiting. If he doesn't come by 11 o'clock you can take a bath, for he won't probably come till afternoon and then you will have time to bathe."

"All right, ma'am," said Georgie, going back into the nursery to play with the other youngsters.

George was found in the North Station by a policeman. Attention was attracted by the tag on his coat. Strangers had spoken to him but learned little. When patrolman Gavin tackled him, however, Georgie stood up and told his story like a little man.

The police have sent to the Tunbridge, Vt., family to find out about Georgie and why he was packed off to Boston tagged to Agent McCarthy.

SEEKS LOST HUSBAND HERE

Mrs. Rosie Shapiro of Providence, has asked the police of the Hanover street station to aid her in her search for her husband, Dr. Morris Shapiro, who, she says, is either lost or hiding in Boston.

Mrs. Shapiro says that her spouse is a prosperous dentist in Providence. Without a word he left her, she says, and she did not hear from him until she received a message asking her to meet him in Boston, but did not say where.

The woman fears that her husband has met with foul play, as he had quite a large sum of money, as well as valuable jewelry, when he left Providence. She is staying with friends on Parmenter street.

A LETTER TO OUR READERS

53 COTTAGE ST., MELROSE, MASS.
Dear Sir: Jan. 11th, 1904.

"Ever since I was in the Army, I had more or less kidney trouble, and within the past year it became so severe and complicated that I suffered everything and was much alarmed—my strength and power was fast leaving me. I saw an advertisement of Swamp-Root and wrote asking for advice. I began the use of the medicine and noted a decided improvement after taking Swamp-Root only a short time.

I continued its use and am thankful to say that I am entirely cured and strong. In order to be very sure about this, I had a doctor examine some of my water to-day and he pronounced it all right and in splendid condition.

I know that your Swamp-Root is purely vegetable and does not contain any harmful drugs. Thanking you for my complete recovery and recommending Swamp-Root to all sufferers, I am, very truly yours,

I. C. RICHARDSON."

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GOV. HOCH PAYS HIS RESPECTS TO LAWSON

"Cut No Wide Swath in the Oil Country," Says the Kansas Executive.

LESSON FOR ROCKEFELLER

WASHINGTON, Aug. 15.—Governor Hoch of Kansas and a party, including his wife and daughter and his staff of colonels, stopped here on their return from the Kansas launching.

Governor Hoch, in an interview, paid his respects to Tom Lawson, District-Attorney Jerome of New York, Governor LaFollette of Wisconsin and Governor Folk of Missouri and the Standard Oil.

"Tom Lawson came to Kansas and told us something that we knew more about than he did. He certainly did not tell us anything new, and, as I look at it, he did not cut a wide swath in the short grass of the oil country. The most he did was to stimulate interest, because we Kansans like to see an Eastern man come to his senses on the subject of Standard Oil. He was received favorably, but his coming and going did not cause any excitement.

"William Travers Jerome came to Kansas and virtually attacked Lawson when Lawson was the principal guest, and he (Jerome) was only second. Then he attacked Governor Folk. However, we are willing to accept it all as a joke, for that is what Jerome himself appears to be. But even considering him as a joke, I must say he has a very queer notion of the proprieties.

"Governor LaFollette came to Kansas and disappointed us. We thought he was going to talk about public questions, but he gave his lecture on Hamlet. Governor Folk I admire. He is a Democrat, and he is a man.

"We Kansas people are going to teach Standard Oil to be decent. Rockefeller came to Kansas and bought oil for a dollar and thirty odd cents a barrel, and when he had gone so far he squeezed and we squealed. Now we are going to teach Rockefeller that Kansas is not to be squeezed with impunity."

DIVORCED WIFE HIS BRIDE, HE DIDN'T KNOW IT

Woman Kept Secret, but Groom Was Pleased When He Learned It.

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Special to the Boston American.

HELENA, Mont., Aug. 14.—Re-married twenty years after they had been divorced, the man not knowing, when the marriage ceremony was performed, that the woman at his side was his former wife, was the matrimonial experience of a western couple now enjoying a second honeymoon in the East. The woman, however, knew the secret, but found enjoyment in not revealing it to the man until after he was again her husband.

James Hurlbutt and Ruth Emery were married when he had not arrived at man's estate. She was eighteen. Less than a month before the marriage they had met for the first time at the home of a friend in Quebec. After a brief honeymoon he set out alone for the States to seek a fortune in the West.

A misunderstanding arose not long after he left. Angry letters passed between them and soon she wrote him that it was her wish that their correspondence should cease and he consented. He was in Chicago when her letter came, but at once left there and travelled west.

Relenting, the wife hurried to Chicago but found no trace of Hurlbutt.

Some years later she secured a divorce on the grounds of desertion and married Rufus Beresford, a mine owner. He died in New Mexico, leaving several properties in Montana. The widow came to Helena and recognized her former husband at a hotel. She was a stranger to him. She engaged him to examine her properties.

The friendship thus established led to love. After the ceremony she told him her secret and he declared he was doubly delighted.

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Do not fail to read the thrilling story of adventure, "Jack Harkaway's Son," by a bright, manly boy, which begins in the BOSTON AMERICAN to-morrow. All your playmates will be talking about it. Do not miss it.

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BURRAGE AIDE IS DROWNED

Arthur W. Bemis, former private secretary of Albert C. Burrage, and a member of the executive staff of the Burrage Hospital on Bumpkin Island, was returning to the island in company with Sidney Meglathin, the engineer of the hospital, in a dory, when the boat was capsized by a sudden flaw of wind.

The men climbed on the slippery bottom and shouted for help. After clinging to the capsized dory for nearly two hours, Bemis suddenly loosened his hold and sank. Meglathin was unable to render any assistance. The cries of the latter were heard a couple of hours later and he was rescued. Mr. Burrage has offered $100 reward for the recovery of Bemis's body.

CARRIED 200 FEET BY ENGINE

SPRINGFIELD, Aug. 15.—After being tossed in the air by a locomotive, which struck his wagon, and being carried more than 200 feet, Joseph Stebbins stepped off the cow catcher of a Boston & Albany engine practically uninjured.

The accident occurred at the North street crossing of the Athol branch of the Boston & Albany railroad, in Ludlow. Stebbins's wagon was on the crossing when the train came and was struck with great force. When Stebbins landed it was on the cowcatcher. He grabbed one of the bars and saved himself from being crushed under the wheels.

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A STRONG young man of 26 wants position in a house or hotel; willing to work hard; good reference; also speaks French. Address C. M. C., 78 Willow st., Lynn.

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A HUSTLING AMERICAN, age 35, used to carpentering, wants situation at any kind of business; low wages. O 165, Boston American.

A PLACE as bookkeeper, experience in double entry. O 120, Boston American.

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SITUATION wanted, chef and wife, hotel or cafe, best of references; 15 years' experience. 1,064 Washington st., Boston.

WANTED—Position as clerk in hotel; several years' experience as clerk, also in the management of hotels. Address G 132, Boston American.

WANTED—Dishwashing by man little lame; silver, glass; nooms or steady; would do office cleaning. C 165, Boston American.

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AT ASCENSION SOCIETY, 6 Ferdinand st. (If you want a position call on us at once.)
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Girl for companion to child; 11 years at least.
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EXPERIENCED table girl and pastry counter and soda fountain girl. 241 Huntington av.

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HOUSEKEEPER by widower of 29 with 2 children; one 25 to 30 preferred. C. H. PEABODY, Friendship, Me.

HOUSEKEEPER WANTED—Middle-aged woman who is good to children; widower's family; wanted the 1st of Sept. M 167, Boston American.

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WANTED—Experienced suspender stitchers on S. & W. & W. machines. Apply at SMITHMADE SUSPENDER COMPANY, 242 Dover st., Boston, Mass.

WANTED—Housekeeper in widow's family; one fond of children. Address A. W. CROOK, 140 Mechanic st., Attleboro, Mass.

WANTED—In country, woman for general housework; 4 adults in family; must be neat and good plain cook; references required; $3.50 per week; 10 minutes from electrics. ARROWHEAD FARM, Brockton, Mass.

WANTED—Young girl in real estate office. Call at 9 Bowdoin st., Dorchester, after 12 o'clock.

WANTED—An American woman for housework; no objections to young child. 43 Warren st., city.

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WANTED—An experienced noon waitress. Apply Monday 10 a. m., CRYSTAL SPA, 45 Bromfield st., city.

SITUATIONS WANTED—Female.

A MIDDLE-AGED American, with boy, 10 yrs., desires position as housekeeper in widower's family; no small children; no objection to country. M. H. B., North Falmouth, Mass.; Box 83.

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A RELIABLE, neat and capable young American lady wishes position as chambermaid, experienced. A 172, Boston American.

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A PLACE as a housekeeper, fully competent. Address T 151, Boston American.

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HOUSEKEEPER'S position wanted by woman, 30, in widower's family; can give the highest ref.; within 5-cent fare. N 133, Boston American.

I WANT a position as wet nurse by reliable married woman. 30 East Canton st., Boston.

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SMART, intelligent young lady wishes position, office exp. Write E. A. Mark, 13 Eva st., Hyde Park, Mass.

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WOMAN wants washing and ironing take home, 35 cents doz. rough dry, or 70 cents ironed; blankets, spreads and shams neatly done. MRS. GINTHER, 2 Church pl., Roxbury.

WANTED—By an elderly woman, sewing, mending and to assist in a family with housework. M 131, Boston American.

WANTED by middle-aged Prot. woman, place to do light house work, no laundry, low wages. Please call, 22 Thurman st., Everett, Mass.

WANTED—Girl between 12 and 13 years; good home for 10 or 20 years; clothes and schooling if desired. Address R 141, Boston American.

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WANTED—Laundry to take home. L. REED, 13 Piedmont st., city.

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SITUATIONS WANTED—Female.

WANTED—Laundry to take home. Mrs. ANDERSON, 557 E. Second st., South Boston.

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ELOPES WITH DAUGHTER OF 'BOSS' CROKER

Louis San Martino, Wealthy Italian, Is the Groom.

SEEK FATHER'S BLESSING

By Boston American Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, Aug. 15.—A special cable from Paris to the American contains the reported elopement of Miss Florence Croker, youngest child of Richard Croker, former leader of Tammany Hall, with Louis San Martino, a young Italian merchant.

The young people arrived in Paris yesterday afternoon and broke the news to Mrs. Croker, who had strenuously opposed the match. They left Paris last night for Dublin to receive the blessing of Mr. Croker. It is their intention, it is understood, to remain at Mr. Croker's Dublin home for several days and then start on their honeymoon, touring the continent.

Very little is known here of San Martino. It is understood that he is young and handsome, and that he possesses a large fortune. The acquaintance of the young couple, it is understood, dates back only to Miss Croker's recent visit to Europe. That was in November of last year. Some comment was occasioned when Miss Croker returned to this country on the White Star liner Oceanic unchaperoned for the first time in her life.

She was met at the pier by two of her brothers, Richard, Jr., and Frank. The latter was later killed in an automobile accident in Florida. It has since been hinted that Miss Croker returned alone because of some little dispute she had had with her mother over the attentions paid to her by San Martino.

Mrs. Croker, with Miss Florence, Richard, Jr., and the other children again sailed for Paris about six weeks ago. Until the news of the elopement came yesterday there was not even a hint that Miss Croker contemplated marriage. She is an extremely pretty girl, of the brunette type, rather short and slender, with a great mass of beautiful hair and large, lustrous eyes. She is in her twenty-first year.

Bride a Convent Girl.

Miss Croker was educated with the utmost care. For several years she attended a convent in this city, and, in addition, was in the care of a highly educated governess. So careful was Mrs. Croker of her daughter's training that the young woman was not permitted to read novels or newspapers. Her books were selected with painstaking discrimination. When she was sixteen years old, Miss Croker was found to have weak lungs and her mother took her to Switzerland, where she remained until she had recovered her former good health.

The relatives and friends of the Croker family who are in this city were amazed at the news of Miss Croker's marriage. None of them, not even Dr. W. T. Jenkins, Mr. Croker's brother-in-law, knew anything about San Martino.

The fact that the young couple went directly to Mr. Croker at Dublin immediately after the marriage gives an interesting turn to the story. Despite the fact that Mr. and Mrs. Croker have not lived together for years, the former Tammany chieftain has kept in close touch and constant communication with all of his children. The greatest affection has always existed between them. It is said that Mr. Croker did not oppose the match, and that in fact, Miss Florence obtained her father's consent in advance of the marriage. It is believed that Mrs. Croker's opposition was not based on dissatisfaction with San Martino, but was rather prompted by a disinclination to part with her daughter, of whom she is extremely fond.

GIRL DIES ON EVE OF SUCCESS

By Boston American Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, Aug. 15.—With the goal toward which she had struggled for four years, almost in sight, Celia Hawley, an actress, twenty-four years old, has been found dead in a little furnished room of a boarding house. Her death was due, said Coroner Leaban, to heart failure.

To-morrow Miss Hawley, or Ward, as she was known to the stage, was to have left town with the "Little Duchess" company, with which she had been rehearsing for the last six weeks. She had been given a "speaking part," with two songs, in the production made famous by Anna Held, and her associates attribute her death to the zeal with which she has been working to make the part a success.

Before joining her company in New York the girl had to spend several weeks in a sanitarium in Haverhill, Mass. She left despite the protests of physicians.

DEATH RIDES IN ENGINEER'S CAB

By Boston American Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, Aug. 15.—Death rode in the engineer's cab of the "Fast Flying Virginian" on the main line of the Pennsylvania Railroad, and for miles the crowded train flashed past danger signals at nearly seventy miles an hour with a headless engineer at the throttle.

Dan Mahoney, the engineer, had been killed while leaning from the Cab window, and his fireman, not knowing it, piled on coal to keep up steam. Suddenly he noticed the red lights streaming by, and in a frightened voice shouted into the cab:

"For God's sake slow up, Dan, you've run by two signals." He received no answer, and crawling to the engineer's seat saw Mahoney's body hanging from the edge of the window. The fireman immediately took his place and brought the train to a standstill just at the entrance of the network of switches north of Philadelphia. The passengers gave the plucky fireman a cheer as they left the train at West Philadelphia.

BAND CONCERT IN HAYES SQ. TO-NIGHT

The Municipal Band will give a concert to-night in Hayes square, Charlestown, beginning at 8 o'clock. Among the best numbers to be given are "Reminiscences of Ireland," descriptive pieces "A Hunt in the Black Forest" and "Village Life in the Olden Time," and a xylophone solo by Mr. Frank Dodge.

The band will give a concert on the Roslindale playground on Thursday night.

DON'T MISS IT, BOYS!

Do not fail to read the thrilling story of adventure, "Jack Harkaway's Son," by a bright, manly boy, which begins in the BOSTON AMERICAN to-morrow. All your playmates will be talking about it. Do not miss it.

CAPTAIN TAGGART TELLS OF ORGIES AT THE DANCES GIVEN BY HIS WIFE

Gallons of Punch and Whiskey Consumed by Mrs. Taggart and Her Guests at Parties She Gave at Fort Thomas.

WOOSTER, O., Aug. 15.—Whiskey, gallons of it, and punch, gallons of it, figured in Captain Elmore Finley Taggart's testimony in his suit for divorce against his wife, Grace Culver Taggart.

"I made thirty or forty gallons of punch for the ball Mrs. Taggart gave at Fort Thomas," said Taggart. "I don't know how much she drank, but when she got home she was so drunk she staggered. I had to put my arm around her and take her to her room.

"Mrs. Taggart had seven dances with Captain Fortescue that night. They were together the greater part of the time. Fortescue drank high balls, and Mrs. Taggart drank whiskey. When they got home they sat on the steps for a time. I was inside with our guests. When Mrs. Taggart arose to come in the house she reeled and would have fallen if I had not caught her."

"Why did you not banish whiskey from your house?" yelled Mrs. Taggart's counsel, Judge Smyzer.

"Because it was not practicable," replied Captain Taggart, flushing.

"How many persons were at your house after this ball where you made the thirty or forty gallons of punch?"

Mrs. Taggart Only One Drunk.

"Two young ladies who were visiting us, and I think Mr. Breese, Lieutenant Briggs and Lieutenant Cavanaugh."

"And do you mean to tell me that of all the persons at your house that night this little woman was the only one who got drunk?"

Taggart nodded his head.

Another dance at which whiskey figured conspicuously was brought into the limelight.

"Who did you dance with that night?" Taggart was asked.

He couldn't remember.

"Didn't you have a 'pretty comfortable jag on,' as it has been said?" asked Judge Smyzer.

"I did not."

"Was your wife drinking that night?"

"Yes. I took exceptions to her companionship with Fortescue. They sat together drinking highballs and straight whiskey. I objected strenuously to her conduct with Fortescue after the guests had departed."

Taking up the events of the night of June 30, 1904, when Captain Poore took Mrs. Taggart home, Judge Smyzer asked: "And didn't you grab her then?"

Taggart in Beer-Drinking Bout.

"I did not."

"Didn't she get those marks on her face from you?"

"No."

"Were you drunk or sober that night?"

"As sober as I am now," replied Taggart.

Judge Smyzer referred to a beer drinking contest at Fort Thomas, in which the officers in the canteen tried to see which could consume the greater quantity of beer. Taggart admitted having had charge of the canteen, but said that since he had taken the pledge.

The pledge was presented as evidence and admitted. It is to the effect that if Taggart ever drank another drop of liquor the act would be considered the equivalent to handing in his resignation from the United States Army.

Regarding whether or not he slapped Mrs. Taggart, the witness said he never hit her but once, and that time at Manila. He said he was sober then, and had not been out of the house.

The courtroom was crowded with army officers and curious persons interested in the unfolding of the scandal. More sensations are likely to be sprung.

MRS TAGGART AND HER SON.

MAJOR TAGGART

PRINCIPALS IN ARMY DIVORCE SCANDAL.

KANSAS WATER IN HOCH VALISE

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 15.—Governor Hoch of Kansas and his staff have arrived in Washington from Camden, N. J., where at the yards of the New York Ship Building Company last week was launched the battleship Kansas. Speaking of the reason why at the last moment his daughter shattered a bottle of water from John Brown's spring in Linn county, Kan., on the armored prow of the battleship, instead of using the traditional bottle of wine, Governor Hoch said:

"For 24 years Kansas has been a prohibition state. Prohibition is no longer an issue; it is a general sentiment. To christen the battleship Kansas with wine seemed to be an absolute violation of that sentiment. Before I left Kansas a delegation of prominent Kansans waited on me with a bottle of water which an accompanying affidavit certified was from John Brown's spring in Linn county. They requested that it be used. I accepted it, put the bottle of water in my valise, and not one of the twenty-four persons of my party knew of it.

The matter was kept secret until the christening of the battleship was over."

HURDLES HEADS TO SAVE CHILD

"Happy Jimmy" Winters saved Josef Francois, a little tot who lives at No. 37 North square, from drowning before the eyes of a hundred or more persons who lined Long Wharf and did not move hand or foot to help the little chap, who was piteously calling for help.

Josef and his mother are all alone in the world. The boy had tried to earn money by running errands for the fishermen at the wharf, and has a little cart he trundles about. While picking up ice on the wharf he got too near the edge of the wharf and fell into the water, with a scream.

The boy had gone down twice before "Happy Jimmy," so-called because he always has a smile and a cheerful word for everyone, came along. It took Winter about half a second to see the child's danger. With a running start he leaped from a fish box over bystanders heads, and dove into the water, striking a fisherman's dory in going in, but reaching the drowning boy all right. It took but a minute to reach the child and grab him, but a few more seconds and it would have been too late.

AMERICAN'S GUESTS FIND JOY BY SEA

Thousands Visit Paragon Park, Hear Jubilee Singers and See the Sights

The "South Before the War" is receiving a hearty welcome at Paragon Park, Nantasket Beach.

To-day, as on the opening day, thousands of people are enjoying this new performance. Prominent in the attendance are the many guests of the BOSTON AMERICAN.

The "South Before the War" is something new, not only for Paragon Park, but for this section as well. It is a regular old-time darky jubilee. Genuine Southern darkeys take part and join in a well-selected program of the old plantation songs, dances and music. The show is continuous, and the patronage is continuous likewise. The seats and standing space in the grounds formerly occupied by the "Wild West" and now given over to the "South Before the War" are filled, showing how well the new show is liked.

Weather Delightful.

It was another great BOSTON AMERICAN Monday at the park. At 10:30, when the gates opened, people were ready with their admission coupons, clipped from the last issue of the BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN. The four shows to which they were also given admission were busy all day. These were the South Before the War, the Dragon's Den, the animal show and the scenic railway.

The weather was delightful for a Paragon Park crowd. There was just the least little nip in the air that kept the crowd moving. The hot afternoon sun, which has tried the patience and energy of all New England for the past few days, was considerably subdued, and it was comfortable at the Park, either out in the open about the lagoon or under cover.

Open Air Circus.

The open air circus held the crowd during all performances. Bristol's educated horses, endowed with almost human intelligence, won applause. Delmore and Oneida, with "La Perche Equipoise," put on one of the best acts seen at the Park this season. Lunette's slide for life down a slender wire was thrilling.

There was a particularly large number of children at the Park. They came under care of their parents, or under their own care, if their parents couldn't come. The animal show attracts the little ones especially. They like to go in there, watch the antics of the monkeys, feed the bears and then exercise on the bamboo slide, the mechanical staircase or swing in the swings.

YELLOW FEVER TIDE TURNED

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 15.—The authorities assert that the tide has turned in the yellow fever epidemic. The death rate is decreasing. There were twelve deaths yesterday and fifty-five new cases, making a total of 166 deaths and 1,018 cases. Three hundred and fifty-six remain under treatment and 495 have been discharged as cured.

An additional outbreak of fever has been reported from Point A' Lahache, forty-five miles below this city, on the Orange coast.

A movement is on foot to have every house in the city fumigated with sulphur at the same hour on the same day, near the end of the present week.

The Treasury department has issued an order that the silver bullion, usually distributed from New Orleans, shall, during the remainder of the period of fever, be distributed through St. Louis.

NEW LAKE WIPES OUT A VILLAGE

LAHORE, India, Aug. 15.—As the result of a great earthquake which was felt throughout this region recently a large lake was formed in the Kangran district of the Punjab, in the Kangra valley. This lake has now overflowed its banks and wiped out an entire village. No detailed report has been received as to the casualties caused by flood, but nine deaths have already been reported. A great amount of damage was done to the crops in the section overflowed.

SAYS FETE FOR CONSUMPTIVES HURT NEWPORT

Col. Thomas Declares Nonsense of Smart Set Puts the City Back Ten Years.

NEWPORT, R. I., Aug. 15.—Fully $12,500, exceeding the most cherished expectations of the committee, will be the net receipts of the tuberculosis fete at Rough Point on Saturday. This result was revealed soon after the returns began to come in from the committees. In view of the fact that the weather was generally disagreeable, it came as a great and pleasant surprise. Had the afternoon been bright and sunny, it is probable that the receipts would have been fully $16,000.

Subscriptions were received from Mrs. Pembroke Jones, who sent a check for $250, and Mrs. Ogden Mills, who sent $100. Checks were also received from Mrs. Woodbury Kane, Mrs. Alfred G. Vanderbilt, Mr. John N. A. Griswold and Mrs. Frederick P. Garrettson.

But while the receipts are being figured up there comes a discordant note from Colonel Addison Thomas, a summer resident and also a highly esteemed citizen and taxpayer, of Newport. In an open letter in referring to some of the managers of the fete, he says:

"From the way they have acted one would suppose that this city was a nest of infection, and the scare has extended everywhere. It has gone forth that tuberculosis is so bad here that we, the people of Newport, have had to call in the aid of wealthy outsiders to help stamp it out. Now this not so, and our city suffers from nonsense.

'A prominent citizen said in my hearing that damage has been done to Newport that it would take ten years to recover from."

BABY RUNAWAYS CAUGHT EATING SUPPER IN LYNN

Cochrane Children, Who Got Away from Little Wanderers' Home, Lead Police a Chase.

BARBARA, 9, TELLS STORY

LYNN, Aug. 15.—Margaret, Johnnie and Barbara Cochrane, the three little Amesbury children who are establishing a record for running away from the Little Wanderers' Home in Boston, were found here eating supper at the home of Mrs. John W. Pillsbury, at 58 Estes street, and taken to the police station, where they told the story of their second escape from the home and their subsequent wanderings. They spent the night on the sand at King's Beach.

Barbara, nine years old, was captain of the party. She and Margaret, eleven, cared for little Johnnie, whose seven-year-old brain planned the escape from the home, and whose plans were put into execution by Barbara.

"We didn't like the home," said Barbara at the police station. "They licked us for calling one of the 'tendants an old woman, and we just wasn't going to stay there. We won't stay there no more, either," she added.

"When nobody wasn't looking we clumb over the wall in back of the home an' run away. We was awful scared for fear we'd get caught, but we wasn't. The police ain't no good. They couldn't catch us, but we was afraid we'd meet somebody from the home.

"We asked somebody where was Chelsea, an' they told us to keep on following our nose. It was an awful long walk, and Johnnie was awful tired. So was I. But we reached it all right. We met a man driving a wagon, and Johnnie asked him to give us a ride, and he did.

"That brought us to Lynn. We was awful hungry, but we didn't have no supper. We went down to a beach and fell asleep. It was awful cold. Johnnie was shivery, and Margaret and I took off our dresses to cover him. Then we hugged tight an' kept warm. I tell you but it was cold.

"A policeman with a lantern stumbled over Johnny and scared us, but he must have been blind, 'cause he thought Johnny's foot was a log, and I heard him swear. In the morning we went to a lady's house an' asked for some breakfast, and she said she'd give it to us. But we heard her go to the telephone and call the police, so we skipped.

"We passed a whole lot of cops after we got out of the house, but we got away from them. They were easy. Then we found a hurdy gurdy and followed it all afternoon. We didn't get no dinner. We was hungry again at night, and was just eating supper when we got pinched."

The tots seemed much disappointed at the prospect of going back to the home. Their story has been verified, and the police regard them as the slickest little ones they have ever met. They are very bright children, and have no wrong intentions in leaving the Home. When they started a week ago they got to Amesbury, their father's home, eluding the police. They would rather be in Amesbury than in Boston, and have formed a strong dislike for the Home for Little Wanderers. They will be taken back to-day.

CANADA TO BUILD FORT AT KINGSTON

OTTAWA, Ont., Aug. 15.—The Canadian militia council has decided to build a modern fort near Kingston to protect the passageway to the Great Lakes. Powerful fortifications are planned five miles below Quebec to guard the entrance to the St. Lawrence. A proposal to fortify Partridge Island at the entrance to St. John, N. B., harbor has been abandoned.

TO-MORROW IS THE DAY.

"Jack Harkaway's Son," a thrilling story of adventure by a bright, brave boy, begins in to-morrow's BOSTON AMERICAN. You can't afford to miss it.

MRS. HUBBARD GIVES UP QUEST IN LABRADOR

Expedition to Country Where Her Husband Starved Is Returning

WALLACE STILL PUSHES ON

ST. JOHN'S, N. F., Aug. 15.—Advices from inland lumber camps in Labrador say that Indians report Mrs. Hubbard's expedition returning to the coast, having abandoned the attempt to penetrate the wilderness. She probably will return here on the next trip of the mail boat.

Dillon Wallace, however, is pushing forward beyond any white man's previous track.

Mrs. Leonidas Hubbard, Jr., sailed from Halifax, N. S., last June in an endeavor to ascertain for herself the exact conditions under which her husband lost his life while exploring the wilds of Lalgrador in the fall of 1903.

Mr. Hubbard, who was an associate editor of Outing, set out in July, 1903, on an exploring expedition for that magazine. He was accompanied by his wife, Dillon Wallace, a New York lawyer, and George Elson, a halfbreed guide. They went to Rigolet on the Labrador Coast, and there Mrs. Hubbard left them. It was reported from Labrador in November, 1903, that the expedition was probably lost. At that time it was announced that a relief expedition would be started from Quebec, and that if nothing was heard from that another expedition would be started over a different route.

After his return to this country Mr. Wallace published a book entitled "The Lure of the Labrador Wilds," in which he questioned the judgment of his late companion in plunging into an unexplored region without adequate and proper provision. To these statements Mrs. Hubbard took exception, and an estrangement between Mrs. Hubbard and Mr. Wallace resulted.

Mrs. Hubbard and Mr. Wallace this year organized independent expeditions to Labrador.

FAIRBANKS VISITS HALE

ELLSWORTH, Me., Aug. 15.—Vice-President Fairbanks and Mrs. Fairbanks spent the day as guests of Senator and Mrs. Hale at the Pines, the home of Senator Hale.

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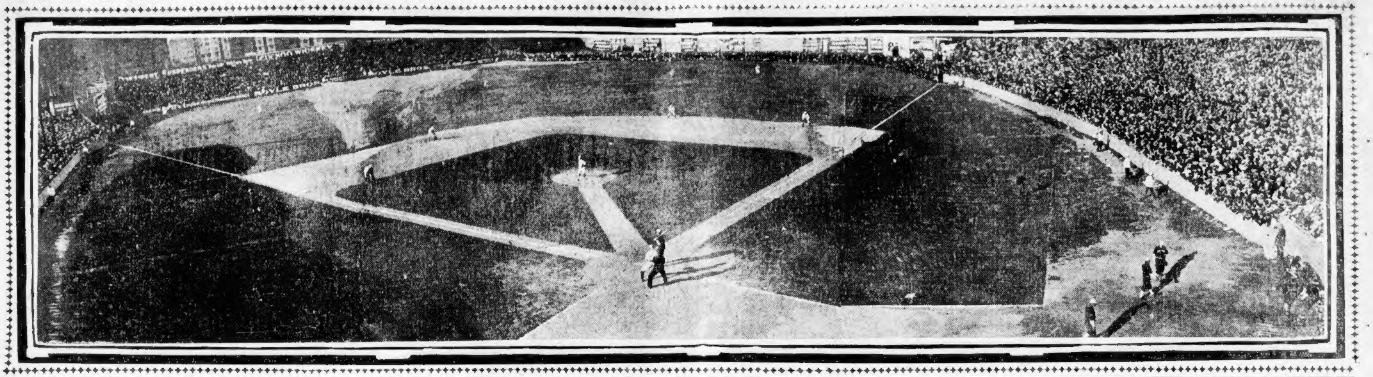
WHOLE WORLD OF SPORTS COVERED FOR THE BOSTON AMERICAN BY ITS CORPS OF EXPERTS

SCENE AT THE HUNTINGTON AVENUE GROUNDS SHOWING YESTERDAY'S RECORD CROWD



In the Second Double-Header With White Sox

TANNEHILL AND YOUNG WILL PITCH

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Philadelphia	57	38	.600
Chicago	53	40	.570
Cleveland	55	42	.567
New York	49	43	.533
BOSTON	49	45	.521
Detroit	47	53	.470
Washington	38	58	.396
St. Louis	34	63	.351

ONE YEAR AGO TO-DAY.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
BOSTON	59	39	.602
Chicago	60	40	.600
New York	57	38	.600
Philadelphia	54	40	.574
Cleveland	51	42	.548
Detroit	41	55	.426
St. Louis	37	54	.407
Washington	22	73	.232

GAMES SCHEDULED TO-DAY.

Chicago at Boston (two games).
Detroit at New York.
Cleveland at Washington.
St. Louis at Philadelphia.

GAMES YESTERDAY.

At Boston—First game, Chicago, 6; Boston, 1. Second game, Boston, 5; Chicago, 3.
At New York—New York, 7; Detroit, 1.
At Philadelphia—Philadelphia, 2; St. Louis, 1.
At Washington—Cleveland, 3; Washington, 2 (13 innings).

The Hub is certainly baseball mad, and not alone does this city contribute affected individuals, but from all over New England they have flocked to witness the convention this week at the Huntington avenue grounds, where the Champs, the idols of the East, and the doughty White Sox, the Western pets, hold the centre of the stage and indulge in diamond warfare, the like of which has not been related this season.

Yesterday the gates were stormed by a frantic mob seeking to get into the inclosure to view the great struggle of baseball experts that compose the two teams, yet the 20,000 ardent followers were handled with the greatest of ease, outside the light jostling of those anxious to get their pasteboards first, and the smooth running of the managerial end of the great sport is something to marvel at.

And the same scenes are likely to be repeated this afternoon, as the Sox and the Champs will meet in another double-header, with the same fierce tactics ruling in a fight every inch of the way and the winning team securing richly deserved honors.

It will be a double battle of giants, as the Champs will present their premier slabmen, Young and Tannehill, while the Sox will be equally fortified with Dr. White, the clever southpaw, and Tom Smith, the strong man, leading the onslaught.

Tannehill Should Win.

Tannehill "buffaloed" the Sox when he met them in the Windy City, and he is likely to give another sample of his wonderful art.

If the Champs can put the brace of games under cover to-day and the Tigers will kindly put the lid on the Highlanders, there will be a chance of getting into the first division before the series closes.

If the Champs ever had doubts that the interest of fans was wavering, they were set at rest by the size of the crowd that was on hand for the first game of the last week before departing for the West, and it is the strongest tribute that can be tendered the Hub team and proves conclusively that the nine has the following that holds the belief the boys will yet pull out the right way.

Such a Monday crowd never attended a game in this city, and there must have been many thousands favored with vacations or who took one in order to be at the great festival of diamond sport.

Such a feast could not be overlooked with the East and the West locking horns in eighteen innings of delirious diamond stunts.

The Champs went down to defeat in the first encounter, but came up triumphantly in the second clash and evened matters.

Altrock in Power.

Nick Altrock waved his magic sceptre and had the Champs tied to the post, with the result that only one run was tallied, while the Sox were picking nice ones off Bill Dinneen's delivery at the proper time, and wrung out six runs. Dinneen had some difficulty in locating the pan, and three of the five passes he issued resulted in runs. The Champs tried to counteract his liberality by swatting the horsehide for three triplets, yet three times, with the bases occupied, with none out, they were left standing.

A din that rivalled a volcanic eruption swept over the ground when Selbach opened the game by a smash into the crowd for three bases, but it became a wall when the next three batters went out in order. Then the contest was on in earnest, and while the Champs plodded on vainly against the brilliant fielding of the westerners and Dinneen's wildness, the opposing side was making headway by working every angle of play to their own benefit.

When Gibson trotted out for the second half of the matinee there were some skeptics who thought that he would be unable to cope with the big proposition at hand, but the slight built twirler soon got the confidence of the crowd, and when the Champs began to pound Frank Owens, who was never hard for them, the good feeling prevailed.

Gibson Held Sway.

There was only one bad moment in Gibson's career on the rubber, and that was in the fourth inning, when he sent three batters along, but he pulled out in good form, as only one scored.

After that he was like clock work, and ran things to suit himself.

All the offence was taken up by Ferris, Freeman and Criger, and they distinguished themselves.

Freeman, with two triples, Hobe counting a homer and a triple and Criger's two singles made the five runs.

The three runs by the Sox were of the unearned variety, as the first came as a result of an unjust decision on first base, when McCarthy claimed that Freeman's foot was off the bag on Parent's throw. Even Collins kicked vigorously on the decision, while Buck was furious, and it is unnecessary to say how the fans felt about it. The runner got around and scored on a fly. An attempted putout of a man going to second with one on third was the cause of the second run and the last came when Gibson hit a batter and he scored on a double.

NOTES OF THE GAME.

Two grand games.

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And they will be repeated this afternoon.

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Ladies' day is postponed till to-morrow.

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Hobe Ferris was the king. We couldn't have won without him.

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It was the largest week day crowd of the season and a swell one to play before.

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Danny Green was out of the game, as he split his hand in the practice.

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Umpire McCarthy was on the bases, and he was in lots of trouble all the afternoon.

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"Finest catch I ever saw," was the remark of one fan, and echoed by all, when Ferris went up in the air for Jones's sizzling liner.

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It was Ferris's day. Two three-baggers and a homer made him the star sticker, and for fielding, nineteen chances with only one slipup tells the story.

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Just three men won the second game. Freeman and Ferris did the heavy slamming, and Criger was there with the pinch hit to bring the run in.

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Fielder Jones was a tireless worker. Always on the coaching lines, he held a tight rein on his team. It is noteworthy to beat such a clever leader.

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Owens was afraid of Ferris in the last inning, and walked him, preferring to take chances with Criger, but Lou fooled him by scoring the run with a nice single.

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It was a relief with Umpire Sheridan calling the balls and strikes. The veteran indicator man works without any body protection, and rarely gets hit.

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Hub Hart, the Everett boy, the Sox backstop, was on the bench. His friends hope that Captain Jones will let him get into one of the games.

FOUR NATIONS WILL COMPETE FOR THE VANDERBILT CUP

NEW YORK, Aug. 15.—To win the William K. Vanderbilt, Jr., Cup will be the next great international struggle of automobile manufacturers and race drivers. On Saturday, September 23, twelve American cars will compete for the honor of representing the United States in the cup contest, and on Saturday, October 14, the teams of four nations will meet in the cup event at 300 miles.

Both the eliminatory trial at 200 miles and the cup race will take place over a twenty-nine-mile circuit in Nassau County, Long Island. That circuit, though less hazardous than the famous Auvergne course, over which the international cup race took place, will give drivers and machines the hardest test of stamina and endurance yet called for in public competition on this side of the Atlantic.

Joseph Tracy, who competed in the Auvergne race, after a trip over the Vanderbilt course said that, while less dangerous than the French route, quite as much attention and care will be required in the Long Island race as in that in which the Americans made so indifferent a showing abroad. It will be a race of wit and nerve and brawn quite as much as a race of motors and brakes and tires.

No wonder, then, that with the eliminatory trial only six weeks away, the American automobile industry already is keyed up to a condition of expectant excitement never before known to it. No wonder either that the preparations being made for the cup competition are the most expensive ever planned in this country.

Evidences of Preparation.

Some evidences of the preparations are here: The builders of the White steam racer have engaged all the accommodation at the Bull's Head Tavern, in the northerly line of the route, for a period from three weeks before the eliminatory trial until after the conclusion of the cup race.

The constructors of the Pope-Toledo racers have reserved accommodations for forty people at Krug's Hotel, on the Jericho turnpike, for the same period of time. The builders of the Franklin and Locomobile racers have engaged expensive quarters in the same locality.

The foreigners, taking time by the forelock, already have begun to reserve accommodation for their teams. Poirrer's garage and hotel at Garden City have been leased for the Italian Fiat team, while quarters have been spoken for the Richard-Brasier and De Dietrich representatives.

There is an unconfirmed story that the German team will be divided between the Jericho Hotel and Foxhall Keene's place. Reservations already have been placed upon taverns and inns at Mineola, East Norwich, Roslyn, Lakeville and Hyde Park in the interests of intending competitors.

As to the probable make-up of the American team the greatest uncertainty prevails. Ten manufacturers have entered twelve cars, and each of the ten is making his arrangements as if certain of qualification on the team of five.

The Pope-Toledo people, dissatisfied with the showing of their cars in the Auvergne race, are hurrying the work on two newer ones of a great deal more power. The understanding is that both will be "nineties." The big 120 horse-power locomobile will undergo some improvement after its arrival from Europe this week, and Tracy hopes to have it on the course by September 1.

In Cleveland a huge steam machine is nearing completion, and with it Webb Jay expects to carry the White pennant over the course in advance of its American rivals. A gentleman interested in bringing over one of the foreign teams, after a private view of the White racer, made the statement that he feared it more than any other car in the race.

Another Surprise in Store.

Up at Syracuse another surprise is being prepared. The eight-cylinder Franklin racing machine in course of construction there for E. H. R. Green is declared to be a modern wonder because of great power with little weight. W. F. Winchester, who will drive it, says it is the fastest car ever turned out in this country. An almost similar story is told of the six-cylinder Premier which Carl Fisher will handle in the race.

Less is known of the two Mathison cars of fifty horse-power, of the eighty horse-power Thomas flyer, to be driven by M. Roberts, of the sixty horse-power Haynes, to be piloted by Frank Nutt, and of the forty horse-power Royal. Walter Christie with his "double sixty" is likely to be a formidable competitor, particularly after his reported private trial over the twenty-nine mile route in 37 minutes.

Rumor has it that a well-known automobile sportsman driving a "ninety" of foreign manufacture covered the course in 32 minutes. If true, that would indicate the route to be speedy.

For the most part the road surfaces are good, and the sprinkling of oil, which is to be begun this week, will improve the circuit. The dangers come from the sinuous winding of the road, from the frequent sharp turns at unlooked for points and from the narrowness of much of the northerly stretch of the route.

"The man who wins the race will be the one who knows the course the best," said an enthusiast, after going over the circuit yesterday. His statement may be exaggerated, but familiarity with the roads is likely to be an important factor in the winning of the cup.

WILL MEET FRED SIDNEY

Since Fred Sidney has come out with the statement that he would like to get on a few matches with any of the fast steppers at 128-130 pounds, there has been a stir among the featherweights, and the first that comes back at him is John Calvell of the West End, who will meet the colored boy before a club or in private at the weight desired.

SULLIVAN TO MEET CONNOLLY

Tommy Sullivan, of Lawrence, and Larry Connolly, of South Boston, are matched for the reopening of the Douglas A. C., Chelsea, next Wednesday. Johnny Shealey, who is Larry Connolly's manager, is very confident that the all-the-year-around swimmer can beat Sullivan, despite the fact that Tommy knocked out Fred Douglass twice and Billy Burke.

TEAM RACERS MEET TO-NIGHT AT REVERE

To-night at the Revere track the postponed intercity team bike battle will take place with Hugh MacLean and Will Stinson representing the Hub and Floyd McFarland and Menus Bedell defending Gotham.

They are to ride four ten mile heats, and MacLean and McFarland are paired in the first while Stinson meets Bedell in the second. The winners will then fight it out for the top prize and the losers go for the consolation.

The Hub men will endeavor to lose the New Yorkers and then have it out between themselves.

There will be a ten mile paced race for the amateur championship between Elmer Collins of Lynn and A. W. McDonald of Boston which is causing a lot of interst as the two boys are very promising in the game.

The amateur sprinters will have a big scrap in the five mile race with a large stake for the one getting the most number of laps to his credit.

N. Y. A. C. FLEET TO RACE FOR ASTOR CUPS

NEWPORT, R. I., Aug. 15.—The fleet of the New York Yacht Club arrived here from New London after a long, hard beat against a strong northeast breeze. Forty-four yachts crossed the starting line about 10 o'clock, and nearly all of them finished, the yawl Sybirata being in the lead, but only a short distance ahead of the Mineola. The Yankee was one minute fifty-six seconds astern of the Mineola.

The Corona led the schooner fleet, but only one minute and fifty-two seconds in front of the Elmina II., while in the smaller class for two-masted vessels the Kiwassa beat the Venona by only 53 seconds.

The little thirty-footers had a fine race, and the Carmania won, with the Ibis second. The Boston sloop Doris beat the Humma in the forty-foot class, while in the auxiliaries the Intrepid won from the Idler. The other winners were the Muriel and Valmore in the smaller schooner classes.

To-day the fleetest yachts of the squadron will race for the Astor cups, and to-morrow the fleet will continue on to Vineyard Haven.

PATSEY HALEY MEETS FELTZ

A match that will bring together two of the best known boys of their weight in New England takes place at Manchester, N. H., on Thursday night when Patsey Haley and Tommy Feltz meet in a fifteen round bout.

Both have had extended experience in the ring and met the best that there is in the arena.

For allround cleverness the pair cannot be beaten and they ought to put up one of the most interesting bouts seen on the boards for a long time.

In the preliminaries Young Connors will meet Young Nelson for six rounds, and Young Griffo and Kid St. Denis meet for four rounds.

AUTO TEST AT LONG BRANCH

LONG BRANCH, N. Y., Aug. 14.—An automobile event of unusual interest will be the six-day non-stop endurance and economy test at Long Branch, which will begin at 12:05 a. m., Monday, August 21.

The race will be run over a thirty-mile circuit on the public roads and an average of twelve miles an hour must be maintained. The bases of award will be: Non-stopping of motor, 50 per cent.; mileage, 25 per cent.; economy of fuel, 25 per cent. A tire test is included in the long test.

TO-MORROW IS THE DAY.

"Jack Harkaway's Son," a thrilling story of adventure by a bright, brave boy, begins in to-morrow's BOSTON AMERICAN. You can't afford to miss it.

ONLY ONE GAME IN NATIONAL LEAGUE

Special to the Boston American.

STEUBENVILLE, Ohio, Aug. 15.—Only one game is scheduled in the National League to-day—that between Pittsburg and Brooklyn. The Boston Nationals will probably leave for home, where they are scheduled to play Cincinnati Thursday.

After the Reds leave the Hub, St. Louis, Pittsburg, Chicago and Brooklyn will appear. The Superbas will close their series September 4.

Only five more games are scheduled after that date at home by the Tenneyites. They play Philadelphia September 13, 14 and 15, and then will come the Giants for two games on the 16th. The games with the New Yorkers will make the final home games of the Tenneyites.

Twenty-five hundred patriotic Steubenvillians attended the ball game at Altamont Park yesterday to see the Boston Nationals defeat the Steubenville Business College. The home team was not whitewashed, so the local people were happy, and they kept busy applauding the work of Tom Needham, the Steubenville boy, who caught for Boston. That Needham has a hold on the people of Steubenville was shown when he first stepped up to bat. Members of the Knights of Columbus and other friends presented him with a fine gold watch. The game was a fast and interesting one. The score:

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
New York	74	31	.705
Pittsburg	66	38	.635
Chicago	61	46	.570
Philadelphia	58	46	.558
Cincinnati	56	50	.528
St. Louis	41	68	.376
BOSTON	35	73	.324
Brooklyn	32	71	.311

ONE YEAR AGO TO-DAY.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
New York	69	27	.719
Chicago	60	37	.619
Pittsburg	56	39	.589
Cincinnati	59	42	.584
St. Louis	50	49	.505
BOSTON	38	63	.376
Brooklyn	34	65	.343
Philadelphia	27	71	.276

GAMES SCHEDULED TO-DAY.

Philadelphia at Pittsburg.

GAMES YESTERDAY.

At Pittsburg—Pittsburg, 5; Philadelphia, 0.
At Chicago—Chicago-Brooklyn game postponed, wet grounds.

AUTOS MAY TRY TO CLIMB MT. WILLARD

While there will never be another climb up Mt. Washington, there is pretty sure to be held next year another climb in the White Mountains, and Mt. Willard will probably be the scene of the contest. Mt. Willard has never been negotiated by a motor car, so a committee will soon make an investigation to see if this picturesque hill is suitable for a test of the power of auto cars.

The motorists generally are tired of Mt. Washington. They have had their fill of the scenery and treacherous peak, and they are also tired of paying the exorbitant tolls demanded by the owners of the wagon roads.

Another thing that favors a change is the fact that it is believed the safety limit has been reached in the matter of speeding up Mt. Washington. W. H. Hilliard in his Napier made the climb during the recent tournament in 20 minutes 58 2-5 seconds, and it is considered that any attempt to materially reduce this record would be foolhardy in the extreme. In fact, Hilliard was lucky to reach the top with a whole skin.

Eddie Bald's experience in climbing Mt. Washington will give an idea of the danger of this sport. The breaking of a bearing put Bald out of business after he had covered seven of the eight miles, but he had gone far enough to be a Mt. Washington veteran. He says of his experience:

"If you drive your car fast you are off the seat half of the time, hanging on to the steering wheel. You never know what is coming next. The turns are often hidden by thick mists of clouds, and a general sense of uncertainty prevails as to everything. With sharp turns and a 1,500-foot precipice on the side, one finds a field for action which I think is difficult to duplicate on any other road in the world."

FAST MOTOR BOATS AFTER GOLDEN CUP

NEW YORK, Aug. 15.—In less than a fortnight a fleet of the fastest motor boats in the East will struggle in the St. Lawrence River for possession of the gold challenge cup given by the American Power Boat Association and now held by the Chippewa Bay Yacht Club. It was won last year at the Columbia Yacht Club's races on the Hudson River by Willis Sharpe Kilmer's speedy Vingt-et-un. The races this year are to be held Aug. 24, 25 and 26.

Since the cup came into the possession of the Chippewa Bay Club that organization has been planning to defend it in a fitting manner. Equal preparations have been made to entertain the expected influx of visitors during the races. A course which the club members believe to be without equal anywhere will be sailed over. It is surrounded by beautiful islands on which are the palatial homes of such men as Commodore F. G. Bourne of the New York Yacht Club; George C. Boldt, C. Allen Hayden, General J. A. Johnston, James N. Oliphant and others.

The start will be made just northwest of Chippewa Bay, and the boats will run from there to the south of Grenadier Island and back, a distance of fifteen miles. The course will be covered twice.

The first challenge received this year was that of Price McKinley, who won the trophy for the Columbia Yacht Club with his motor boat Standard, the first year it was offered. All motor boats, which, according to the rating of the Power Boat Association, are over thirty-five feet over all and twenty-five feet on the water line, are eligible to enter with the challenger and defender.

In order to win the cup a match course laid in water not less than twelve feet deep and as straight as possible. The start is made flying, and the boats must finish at the point they started from.

The winner is determined by the point system, each boat entering and finishing a race receiving one point and one point for each boat she defeats. The boat, of course, with the highest aggregate number of points is the winner.

GRIFFITHS MAY NOT BE TRIED

Special to the Boston American.

CINCINNATI, Aug. 15.—Charges have been filed against Barney Dreyfuss, president of the Pittsburg club, by Frank McQuiston, a Pittsburg newspaper man, before the national commission. McQuiston alleges that Dreyfuss called him a liar and caused him to be ejected from the Pittsburg grounds.

It is possible that Howard Griffiths will not be tried by the national commission to-day on the charge of trying to disrupt the big leagues. It seems that the minors have not been officially notified of the meeting of the commission, and so will not attend. President Tebeau of the Louisville club while in the city yesterday made this statement. He has gone East

WILL FIGHT LIGHTWEIGHTS

Billy Morse of Marlboro wants to meet any new comer in the 133 pound ranks.

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BRIGGS HAD ADVANTAGE OF UNK RUSSELL

Special to the Boston American.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 15.—Jimmy Briggs of Boston had a slight advantage over Unk Russell of this city at the end of the sixth round at the National A. C.

For three rounds Russell had a shade on Briggs, but he injured his foot, and after this round Briggs had all the better of the fighting.

In the second round Russell dropped Briggs with a stiff right hand punch to the jaw, but the Boston boy was on his feet in an instant and waded into Russell and punished him about the body.

He played for Russell's kidneys, and his blows seemed to take the steam out of his opponent. For the three remaining rounds he landed at will on face and body.

In the last round he drew blood from Russell's nose with a hard left hand punch, and thereafter played for that member.

OLDFIELD BROKE TRACK RECORD AT CLEVELAND

CLEVELAND, Aug. 15.—After three of the regular events and a special exhibition by Barney Oldfield had been completed the remainder of the race meeting of the Cleveland Automobile Club was declared off on account of rain, a severe storm drenching the track.

The feature event was the final of the Cleveland Derby, Webb Jay and Charles Burman having won heats Saturday. Webb Jay won the final easily, slowing up so as to allow Burman to keep within a few lengths of him at the finish.

The five-mile National championship was won by Burman, Lyttle and Jay having trouble with their cars, which caused Burman, who was third at the end of the third mile, to shoot ahead and to win practically without opposition.

Barney Oldfield appeared in a five-mile exhibition and broke the track record for five miles, his time being 4:45 3-5, while the previous record was 4:58 4-5.

BIG LACROSSE PLAYER DEAD

NEW YORK, Aug. 15.—John D. Van Buren, Jr., captain-elect of the Columbia lacrosse team and a prominent athlete in the local university, died recently from the effects of an operation for appendicitis. Van Buren, who was extremely popular, was graduated from the academic department in June and was to have returned for a law school course in September. He captained the lacrosse team last season and by a great effort raised the sport to a fairly successful plane. He was re-elected at the close of the season.

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NEW ENGLAND ASSOCIATION LOSES YALE

NEW YORK, Aug. 15.—By a mail vote of the A. A. U., the State of Connecticut has been lopped off the New England Association and turned over to the Metropolitan Association. The importance of the redistribution is that Yale University will in future hold sway in a different territory from Harvard, and the track and field men are at liberty to have a try for the Metropolitan championships.

Lack of Interest.

For several years the Yale teams of track and field, basketball, swimming and other sports have shown a lack of interest in A. A. U. contests and have been frequent violators of the registration rules. In order to abolish this trouble Merrill B. Sands of the Yale Athletic Association sent a petition to President Maccabe of the A. A. U. to have Connecticut transferred from the New England to the Metropolitan association. As the New England people were favorable to the change and the Metropolitan people had no objection, Maccabe ordered Secretary Sullivan to submit the matter at once to a mail vote, with the result stated. The transfer of the registered athletes will be made at once from the New England to the Metropolitan association. In petitioning the A. A. U. to have Connecticut turned over to the Metropolitan association Mr. Sands of Yale said:

"The Yale Athletic Association petitions the Amateur Athletic Union to effect such a redistribution of territory as shall cause athletic clubs in the State of Connecticut to fall within the jurisdiction of the Metropolitan Association instead of the New England Association.

Don't Criticise.

"Nothing could be further from our intention than in any way to criticise the very satisfactory management of the New England Association, but we feel that, as far as competition is concerned, our interests are allied very closely with the Metropolitan Association, whereas it is very seldom that we take part in any of the competitions of the New England Association. We respectfully submit that the effective control of amateur athletics would be much strengthened in the State of Connecticut if we could be brought into closer touch with the A. A. U. by transferring the State of Connecticut from the New England Association to the Metropolitan Association, and we also feel that it would much increase our interest in taking part in A. A. U. games."

CHALLENGER AND SUCCESSFUL DEFENDER OF THE LONGWOOD TENNIS CUP

These pictures of Clarence Hobart and William A. Larned were taken by a BOSTON AMERICAN camera man at the Longwood Cricket Club courts yesterday afternoon while the tennis experts were playing their great match.

After making a noteworthy sweep through a large field for the honor of becoming the challenger, at least, for the Longwood Tennis Cup, Clarence Hobart was forced to bow to the excellent playing of William A. Larned, the holder, who has now won the trophy two years in succession. Hobart proved rather easy picking for Larned, the latter winning, 6—3, 6—2, 7—5.

W. A. LARNED, THE WINNER.

CHALLENGER HOBART.

YANKEE ATHLETES IN ATHENS GAMES

American athletes may again carry off the laurels in the revival of the Olympic games in Athens next year, if the plan now under way bears results proportionate to the endeavors of the American committee just appointed by Crown Prince Constantine.

William Hale Thompson, president of the new Illinois Athletic Club, who heads the body, announces that he will leave no stone unturned to send to Athens the flower of American athletes to repeat, if possible, the successive victories achieved in that city in 1896, in Paris in 1900, and at St. Louis last year.

President Heyworth, of the Chicago Athletic Association, will prove a valuable ally to Thompson. The C. A. A. has already a number of the best athletes in the West on its roster.

The revival of next year will be called second in the list of official modernised Olympic festivals. Those held at Paris in 1900 and St. Louis were in several respects unsatisfactory to the Greek authorities, and it has been determined that no more shall the contests be held outside of Greece.

With the idea of having the United States represented by its very best athletes, Crown Prince Constantine has appointed the committee for this country.

Some of the committee will canvass the East, as far West as Pittsburg, and the other will have jurisdiction in the territory from Pittsburg to the Pacific coast. The personnel of this committee is William Hale Thompson, A. C. Thomas, Charles H. Gensilinger, Laurence Heyworth and Joseph E. Raycroft.

QUAKER ELEVEN STARTS WORK NEXT MONTH

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 15.—In less than a month the football candidates of the University of Pennsylvania will gather at Franklin Field and begin the gridiron grind. Elaborate, indeed, is the system of coaching that will be in vogue this year to try to make a winner of the eleven. Byron Dickson, the old end, who will be the field coach, will have active charge of the men on the field and will direct the daily work.

On the advisory coaching board will be Dr. Carl Williams, last year's head coach; George Woodruff, George McFadden and George Brooke. A. E. Smith, the star fullback, is to be the assistant field coach, and to look after the scrub players with a view to getting experience, so that he may some day succeed to the position of field coach. The Pennsylvania system plans to have last year's captain assistant field coach the next season and the following year head field coach. That plan was not followed this time because Torrey, last year's captain, is available this Fall as a player.

It all sounds as solemn as planning a war campaign. Two heavy and fast forwards and a line smashing and defensive player of the Smith type are what Pennsylvania needs most for the coming season. There is a good nucleus for a winning eleven. Weede and Stebles, ends; Rooke and Lamson, tackles; Zeigler, guard; Torrey, centre, and Reynolds, Stevenson, Greene, Sheble, Folwell, Hollenback and Bemis will return. It looks as if open play will again be a feature of the Quaker game. The Quakers were the chief exponents of open play last year and demonstrated that there was plenty of opportunity for open play under the present rules.

MINNESOTA MAY SEND CREW

Quite a stir is being made among the Eastern colleges by the rumor that in several years the University of Minnesota will have a crew to represent her. Work has been begun on the building of a large dam across the river near the university grounds, which, when it is finished, will result in the formation of a lake about two miles long.

The dam will be completed in about fifteen months, and with such a body of water nearby it would be an easy matter to transform some of the giant athletes who attend this college into a formidable crew.

The matter is being discussed by the alumni and local business men, who have long desired a crew for the university, and they have signified their readiness to subscribe to a fund to be used for the purpose.

According to present conditions it looks as if the Minnesota crew would be among those present at the intercollegiate regatta at Poughkeepsie two years from now.

WORLD'S BEST GOLFERS MAY PLAY HERE

NEW YORK, Aug. 15.—It is quite possible that the Van Cortlandt Park public golf links next year will be the scene of the greatest tournament in the game's history, either in this country or Great Britain. James Baird, winner of the recent open championship of Great Britain, Harry Vardon and J. H. Taylor are expected over here next Summer and the plan is to have them at Van Cortlandt.

The executive committee in charge of the last tourney over the public links has elected the following officers for the ensuing year:

Charles Kirchner, president; J. P. O'Connell, first vice-president; William Freeland, second vice-president; William H. Beers, treasurer; H. E. Fyrke, secretary.

These officials voted to hold another open tournament next year selecting the dates July 11 and 12, and it will be called the World's Open Professional Golf Tournament.

So much interest has been shown in this event that already several clubs have offered to handle the next tourney. It looks now as if the purse would reach at least $1,000.

BRITT AND NELSON MUST BE ON THE LOOKOUT FOR FRAUD

By W. W. Naughton.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 15.—Who dare say now that pugilism is a purse splitting, mercenary pursuit with never a glimmer of true rivalry about it? Here we have Jimmy Britt and Battling Nelson fighting practically to a finish for the biggest monetary guarantee that was ever offered two men outside the heavyweight class and agreeing that there shall be a side bet of $10,000 and that the winner shall take everything in sight.

Hard terms, these, my masters, and cold comfort for any kind of a ring specialist when the excitement of matchmaking time wears away and he settles down to the treadmill routine of training days.

To the best of my recollection Sharkey and Fitzsimmons were the last pair of glove wielders that fought on the all or nothing basis. That was when they boxed in Mechanics' Pavilion, San Francisco, back in 1896.

Wyatt Earp to Rescue.

I know that the sailor used to feel quite glum when he pondered over the fact that he was going against one of the greatest human fighting machines in existence and that his managers had made no provision for a loser's end.

Maybe the fellows behind Sharkey finally got to thinking that the prospect was none too roseate. Anyhow Wyatt Earp came to the rescue, and Sharkey, the winner, "took everything."

It doesn't follow that there will be any queer dealings in connection with the Britt-Nelson match, but it would be just as well for both camps to be thoroughly alert when the time comes for choosing the referee. The terms such as the articles of agreement contain have been responsible for crookedness on more occasions than the Sharkey-Fitzsimmons fight, for there are numbers of men connected with pugilism who cannot look forward complacently to a prospect of no returns from a contest they are interested in.

As far as can be judged at present it is nothing but the bitterest of rivalry that has caused Britt and Nelson to have their articles framed thuswise. In speaking of the matter before the contract was drawn up Willie Britt said: "We ask no consideration and we will give none. My brother has gone about his business and he never once lost sight of his prospective contest with Nelson. He knew it was inevitable. He remained silent when the Nelson crowd was twitting him of being afraid to face the music and all this time he was simply comparing the offers made and trying to figure out which was the best. We believe now that the Colma Club proposition is the most enticing, and the fight is on. Nelson will not get a dollar out of it unless he can beat Britt."

Willie Britt states the case correctly when he says that his brother was charged with being afraid of Nelson. Jimmy kept his own counsel so long in respect to his intentions that some of his best friends even were beginning to think that he had no stomach for a turn up with the durable Dane. One story was circulated to the effect that Jimmy had been offered a role in Nat Goodwin's new play, and was going to give Nelson and the fight fans of the coast leg bail and slip quietly away to New York and enter upon a footlight career.

We all know different now. Articles of agreement have been signed, sealed and delivered, and Britt and Nelson will meet in a daylight ring on the greensward of Colma on the afternoon of September 9.

The Britts now admit that they would just as soon have entered into a twenty-round match with Nelson before making arrangements for another and longer battle.

"And why not?" urged Willie. "My brother feels that he can lick Nelson in any kind of a fight, but there is always a chance for an argument after a twenty-round affair. You know how it was the last time. Jimmy won beyond a doubt, but numbers of people said: 'There would be a different story to tell if the contest had been to a finish.' Do you follow me? Jimmy could repeat the trick in another twenty-round go, and have people saying the same thing over again. Then, of course, would come the fifty round or finish fight. According to the Britt method of figuring, it's just the difference between one fight and two."

O'DEA TO QUIT THE BADGER ATHLETES

MADISON, Wis., Aug. 15.—Andy O'Dea, who has had charge of the crews of the University of Wisconsin for the last five years, and whose failure to bring out a winning crew in the Poughkeepsie races has aroused so much criticism of his methods, will not return to the university next year. This is the statement made by a member of the varsity eight.

O'Dea is said to have expressed his determination to quit at Poughkeepsie. It is believed that he will return to Australia, where his brother, Patrick O'Dea, is located.

Andy O'Dea has been connected with various athletic teams of the University of Wisconsin for eleven years. Two of his crews secured places in the Poughkeepsie races.

HAVE BIG ENTRY LIST.

The games committee of the Order of Scottish Clans, whose annual outing at Caledonian Grove will be held on Labor Day, is meeting with marked success in the matter of entries, so that the gathering this year gives promise of unusual interest athletically.

BIG AUTOS WILL RACE AT CAPE MAY

NEW YORK, Aug. 15.—The fine stretch of beach at Cape May, N. J., is to become a real battleground for straightaway automobile racing on August 25 and 26, when the contests will have an international flavor through the participation of two Fiat racers, one of which finished second to Thery in the last Gordon Bennett cup race. This huge speed creation, with 120 horse power to drive its wheels, was piloted by Nazzari on July 5 over the Auvergne circuit, and but for tire troubles might have vanquished the redoubtable Thery and his Richard-Brasier. On the Jersey seashore course it will be driven by Louis Chevrolet, who has done so well this season as the pilot of Major C. J. S. Miller's Fiat racer of 90 horse power.

Trophy Worth $1,000.

There is a double incentive for owners of fast racing cars at Cape May in the form of two splendid trophies offered by the Cape May Automobile Club—the Cape May mile cup and the Cape May kilometer cup, which go to the gasoline cars making the best time for these distances during 1905. The mile trophy is valued at $1,000, and the kilometer prize at $500.

The records which Chevrolet will attempt to lower are 25 seconds for the kilometer and 38 2-5 seconds for the mile, which were made last month by Walter Christie of this city in his direct drive 120 horse power racer. When Chevrolet makes his assaults Christie will be on hand to defend his claim on the trophies.

Another competitor of whom great things are expected will be Henry Ford of Detroit, who will drive the lightweight, high powered eight cylinder racer that he built for the Ormond races last January. It was disabled before Mr. Ford had an opportunity of demonstrating the speed of the successor to his famous "999," which travelled a mile in 39 seconds over the frozen surface of Lake St. Clair.

Fiat Entered.

Another racer which will make its first essay at straightaway speeding will be the 24 horse power Fiat, Jr., which made a new lightweight mile record of 53 4-5 seconds on July 4 last at Morris Park.

This meet will be the last of the season at Cape May, and in addition to the record trials there will be free for all contests at both the mile and kilometer and many contests for touring cars to be driven by owners. In order to expedite the running of the events the competing cars will run off the beach at the end of the course and return to the starting point via the boulevard.

TOMMY RYAN IS WILLING TO FIGHT BURNS

CHICAGO, Aug. 15.—Tommy Ryan, the farmer-pugilist of St. Joe, Mich., and claimant of the middleweight championship, at what he avers is the correct and only weight, 154 pounds, is in the city. He answers Tommy Burns's challenge with the assertion that he will be ready to fight during the coming Fall and not until then.

Ryan in his palmiest days never showed to better advantage. Sunburnt from his life in the open air, he is strong, lithe and vigorous, and appears to be in just the sort of shape to stand the test of training for a bruising battle.

"Regarding these offers from clubs on the coast and Burns's challenge," said Ryan, "you can say for me that in the Fall I will be ready to fight any middleweight in the world, at any place where there is money to be made.

"Only remember one thing. By middleweight I mean a pugilist who can weigh in at the right notch for that class—which is 154 pounds at the ringside. I have no intention of giving an ounce of weight. Let the big fellows fight among themselves.

"I consider myself still the middleweight champion. After the Fall I will announce my retirement from the game for good, and no challenges will disturb me. This is my final decision and one which I will not reconsider.

"Just at present I am fairly heavy, weighing about 170 pounds. It would not take me long to round into good fighting trim."

EVERY BOY, YOUNG OR OLD, should read the thrilling story, "Jack Harkaway's Son," a tale of adventure ashore and afloat of a bright American boy, by Captain Richard Rudd, author of the famous story, "Who Killed [illegible]?" It begins in the BOSTON AMERICAN to-morrow.

BIG TENNIS STARS AT SOUTHAMPTON

SOUTHAMPTON, L. I., Aug. 15.—Holding the position of the preliminary lawn tennis tournament to the national championship meeting on the Casino courts at Newport, the tournament this week on the turf courts of the Meadow Club at Southampton, L. I., assumes considerable importance to the followers of the sport. The entry is always composed of the ranking players of this country, and all of the famous English international players—the Doherty brothers, Black, Gore, Barrett and the late Harold Mahony—have competed in the meetings in the years that they have been on this side of the Atlantic Ocean.

In the way of international players this season the appearance of three of the Australian team, Parker, Dunlop and Brookes, who competed in the matches in London for the Dwight F. Davis Challenge Cup, will add interest to the contests over the nets. The Australians may not play through the Southampton tournament, as they will hold themselves in reserve to capture the United States national championship in the singles on the Newport courts the following week.

It is a part of the history of the Southampton lawn tennis matches that the winner of the national championship has always prepared upon the Meadow Club's courts. The turf is fully as old as that of the Newport Casino, and the entire series is usually managed with as great care for the details of play. William A. Larned, former national champion, won the singles last year, and he will be one of the foremost competitors this week.

In the doubles Larned will pair with William J. Clothier, also a member of the challenging American team of this year. Despite their skill it is hardly likely that they will win at Southampton in this event, as the recent winners of the Eastern title, Harold H. Hakett and Frederick B. Alexander, are to compete in preparation for the opening match for the national doubles honors in Newport, Tuesday, August 22.

Among the other likely doubles teams will be Clarence Hobart and Wylie C. Grant of the New York Lawn Tennis Club, George L. Wrenn, Jr., and Reginald F. Fincke of the Country Club of Westchester, Robert Le Roy and Raymond D. Little, the Columbia-Princeton pair, and Edward B. Dewhurst, the University of Pennsylvania player, who is to have a partner. All of these men will also participate in the singles.

Holcombe Ward, the present holder of the national championship in the singles, is expected to get into form during the play on the Meadow Club courts. Since his return from England and the international challenge matches against the Englishmen Ward has expressed himself as being undecided as to whether or not he would defend his holding of the cup this year.

Among the lawn tennis followers the idea is prevalent that if Ward absents himself from Southampton this week, where he has contested for many years, it will surely foretell his default of the title.

Beals C. Wright, the partner of Ward in the holding of the doubles championship, is to compete in the tournament, and in the event of Ward being present their work in the doubles will also indicate the form that they may be expected to show in defence of their joint championship. With handicaps, mixed doubles and other events the meet promises to be more interesting than in former seasons.

Big Australian Turfmen Coming to America

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 15.—If the unforeseen does not happen, the pink and black of Sir Rupert Clarke, the celebrated sportsman of Australia, will be seen in America in 1906. According to present plans, Sir Rupert will make his American debut at either Oakland or Ingleside early in the year, and then proceed East.

Sir Rupert has over twenty horses in training, but his American stable will comprise half a dozen of his cracks and will doubtless include the sensational Charles Stuart and the wonderful horse and weight packer Emir. Charles Stuart is the two-year-old that ran a mile in 1:38, a performance unequalled by any other two-year-old. Emir has run two miles in 3:28¾.

AMATEUR RULE FOR NEWPORT HORSE SHOW

NEW YORK, Aug. 15.—The officials of the Newport Horse Show for 1905 are determined that only amateurs shall exhibit at this exclusive function. In order that there may be no misunderstanding on the subject, they have issued the following definition of the word amateur as it applies to horse exhibitors:

"An amateur is one who has never dealt in horses, either by public or private treaty, ridden or driven for hire, or depended on such connection either wholly or in part as a means of livelihood; or conducted the breeding of horses as a business."

Another rule, and one which guards against the changing of the horses' names, is that which specifies that "any change of name must be filed on the entry blank at the time of entry with the present name borne by the horse or horses entered."

Alfred G. Vanderbilt, Eben D. Jordan, Mrs. J. B. M. Grosvenor, Mrs. John Gerkin, J. Campbell Thompson, Alfred B. Maclay, John Doyle and many other prominent owners have arranged to exhibit their best stock at the show.

METTLING LOST TO BEDELL

Special to the Boston American.

NEW YORK, Aug. 15.—The most interesting contest of the night at the Madison Square Garden bike track was the two-mile national circuit professional race in which Frank Kramer defeated Iver Lawson of Salt Lake City. This was Lawson's first appearance on a track in the East this year. Kramer was in a team with Joe Folger, while Lawson had Fenn as a mate.

The one-mile professional handicap was won by Folger. Menus Bedell of Lynbrook, L. I., met Louis Mettling in a ten-mile motor race and won easily by a lap and a half in 16:30 3-5.

WILL BE NO MORE TROUBLE AT ORMOND

NEW YORK, Aug. 15.—It has been settled that there will be no opposition tournaments at Ormond Beach next January. All differences between the Ormond and Daytona and Florida East Coast associations have been settled, and according to an agreement the Ormond Racing Association will disappear.

W. J. Morgan, the original promoter of the races in Florida, will continue as manager, and Alexander Schwalbach, an editor of Motor, will be the secretary of the association.

The unsatisfactory way in which the races were run in Florida last year brought about the split. Morgan had been deposed as manager and things went to the bow-wows. A change in the A. A. A. racing management, which put men of tact in power, made the settlement of the dispute in Florida comparatively easy. The peace congress consisted of Chairman Morrell and Secretary Batchelder of the A. A. A. racing board; Joseph D. Price, president of the Ormond Racing Association, and Mr. Morgan.

After a careful study of the Florida tide the exact date for the races at Ormond will be announced. With the races conducted by an intelligent management there should be no such failure to complete the program within the race week as occurred last year.

BUTLER TO RESUME RIDING.

"Tom" Butler, the famous cyclist, who was reported killed out West last week while doing his loop the loop act with the Barnum & Bailey circus, is well and happy and will continue to do his stunt as heretofore, according to a telegram which was received by his brother Frank from Helena, Mont., where the show is now playing.

MONTREAL CRICKET.

MONTREAL, Aug. 15.—The Marylebone Cricket Club of London began a match with the Montreal Club yesterday. In the first innings Montreal was retired at 105; Marylebone made 103.

In the second innings, Montreal put out 73 for six wickets when the game was called for the day.

COLUMBIA MAY GET GLENDON

NEW YORK, Aug. 15.—It is hinted that Columbia University, wearied of losing so regularly at Poughkeepsie, has been searching for another coach to take the place of the veteran Jasper Goodwin, who has been working with the Columbians for two years, but with little more success than his predecessor, Hanlon. The man who is mentioned for the position is Dick Glendon, who coached the Boston Athletic Association crews and the Annapolis cadets. Glendon is now working with the Arundel Boat Club of Baltimore.

Goodwin is under contract to Columbia for another year, but if Glendon can be secured it is believed that another position would be found for Goodwin. Columbia has lost on the water with so much regularity that the New Yorkers think some radical action is necessary.

MINOR LEAGUE GAMES.

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CONNECTICUT.

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The Universal Route

by Ella Wheeler Wilcox

As we journey along, with a laugh and a song,
We see, on youth's flower-decked slope,
Like a beacon of light, shining fair in the night,
The beautiful Station of Hope.

But the wheels of old Time roll along as we climb,
And our youth speeds away on the years;
And with hearts that are numb with life's sorrows we come
To the mist-covered Station of Tears.

Still onward we pass, where the milestones, alas,
Are the tombs of our dead, to the West,
Where glitters and gleams in the dying sunbeams
The sweet, silent Station of Rest.

All rest is but change, and no grave can estrange,
The soul from its Parent above.
And, scorning the rod, it soars back to its God
To the limitless City of Love.

BE SELF-RELIANT; DON'T SHIRK RESPONSIBILITY

BEATRICE FAIRFAX Points Out That Many Grown Folks Expect to Be Cared For Like Children

SELF-RELIANCE and sense of responsibility are the penalties of having arrived at years of discretion.

During our childhood we are not obliged to accept either condition, but later in life we must shoulder them both if we hope to amount to anything.

Self-reliance must not be confounded with conceit.

If you have no faith in your own powers you will never amount to anything.

To think you can do a thing better than anyone else implies conceit, but to feel that you have the power to try and do it as well as anyone means that you have confidence in your own efforts.

If you have not confidence and self-reliance no one will have confidence in you.

When you have a piece of work to do you must encourage yourself to feel that you can accomplish it.

The success of an undertaking largely depends on the way you go at it.

If your attempts are half-hearted and you have the idea that you are going to fail nine times out of ten you will fail.

But if you go at it in a determined, confident way, saying to yourself, "I will succeed," you usually will.

Of course, you must never be so cock sure that you will relax your endeavor. Until the thing is finished you must keep on trying.

Self-reliance means contentment to a great degree.

It is so satisfactory to feel that you are capable of achieving success.

It spurs you on to greater effort.

Self-reliance is pretty sure to bring self-respect, and without that no man is happy.

Regarding responsibility as we grow older we must assume it whether we will or not.

In the first place we are largely responsible for our attitude toward the world and the world's attitude toward us.

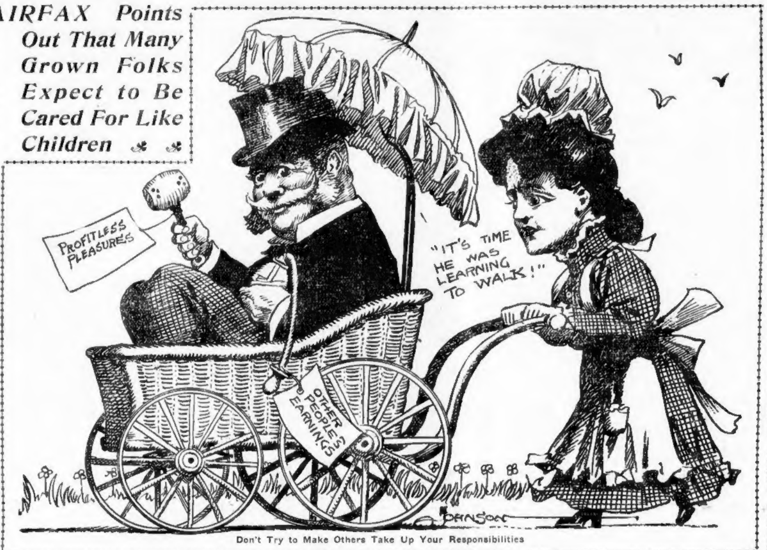
We cannot shake off the responsibility of being men and women.

As we sow we shall reap.

Our greatest responsibility is to present such a face to the world as to command its respect.

We think our lives are our own, to order as we will, but they are not.

For everything we do we are responsible as to how it will affect others.



Don't Try to Make Others Take Up Your Responsibilities

We must bear our share of responsibility for the welfare and happiness of our friends and relatives.

If we are in business we cannot look lightly upon our responsibilities toward our employers.

If you are of a cheerful, light-hearted nature you can meet your responsibilities in a confident manner, but if you are morose and pessimistic they will weigh heavily enough on you.

Trying to push them off onto others will do you no good for other people have their own loads to carry and will never willingly lift yours.

Be brave and accept them in the proper spirit. Just say to yourself "I am a grown man or woman (as the case may be). I have certain duties and responsibilities to assume and the sooner and more cheerfully I accept the fact the better it will be for me."

Responsibility is a great character developer.

There is no reason why you should wilt and falter under your burden.

Others have just as much to carry as you.

Brace up and be men and women. Shoulder your burdens cheerfully, fight the good fight and your strength will grow with your spirit.

SOME SECRETS OF HOW TO DRESS BECOMINGLY

THOUGH the knowledge of the art of dressing well is supposed to belong more especially to women, how rarely is it that we see a perfectly satisfactory toilet!—one that pleases not only by its color, but of which the general style assorts with the complexion, and is exactly suited to the figure of the wearer.

It is, perhaps, needless to say that few women have the power of choosing their dress by inspiration, or can be faultlessly attired, unless they are prepared to give a certain amount of thought to the matter. Taste in dress does not consist in choosing a model from the pages of a fashion book, or in blindly following the advice of the dressmaker or milliner.

A well planned costume should have some originality about it, which gives an individuality to the wearer, making her in an inexplicable way to differ from other and perhaps more fashionably dressed women. The dress should also be so contrived as to conceal any defects there may be, and to exhibit to the greatest advantage all the best points of her figure.

At the same time, this originality, if carried too far, is apt to develop into eccentricity, which, by attracting universal attention, is by no means to be desired. Where many women err in the matter of dress, is in the disregard they have for the "beauty of appropriateness."

Color the Trouble

Nine people out of ten choose a hat or bonnet, not because it is becoming to their particular cast of features or shade of complexion, but because their milliner tells them it is "the newest thing out."

Or they select a dress exactly like one worn by an acquaintance at the last entertainment at which they were present, quite ignoring the fact that though it may suit their friend's fair hair and pink cheeks, it will be anything but becoming to their own raven locks and sallow complexion.

It is this stumbling block of color that is fatal to the effect of many a costume, in itself stylish and in good taste. Most women about to choose a new dress apply to their dressmaker, who tells them that the "colors of the season" are perhaps heliotrope, gray, vieux-rose and shades of green.

One might venture to predict that a sallow-faced woman will select the heliotrope, or a dull and yellowish green, and the woman who has a complexion of deadly pallor and gray hair will select a light gray, suitable only for a blooming girl of eighteen.

Now, a gown which reflects the tint of the complexion is rarely a success, but, as a general rule, the color of the hair may be repeated in the dress quite successfully. This is notably the case with red or auburn hair.

For the Auburn-Haired

There is a popular fallacy that bright blue is appropriate to this tint, but no greater mistake could be made.

Only the faintest shades of blue can be admired, but at the same time it must be remembered that, though so called, red hair is never absolutely red, the predominant shades being reddish-yellow or rich orange.

Hence red-headed people look well in shades of yellow, but almost every tone of red should be avoided. White or cream has a charming effect against the ruddiest of auburn, and the palest mauve is not amiss.

Those women whose hair and complexion can be described neither as fair nor as brunette have great advantages in being often able to wear colors that are apropriate to either brunettes or blondes.

Eyes and Complexion

Due attention must, however, be paid to the tone of the complexion and the color of the eyes. Those dark people who are possessed of rich, full-colored complexions can stand bright reds and gorgeous yellows, but in the form rather of brilliant touches gleaming out here and there about the dress than in so wide an expanse as a skirt, or even a bodice.

Those brunettes whose complexions have seen better days, or who have fair skins, must be content with the paler and softer tints. Brown and its many shades are considered becoming to every one, but, for all that, they require the exercise of much care.

Few gowns can be more unbecoming to a fair, insipid looking woman with "brown sugar" colored hair, than one which repeats its dull tint unrelieved by any touch of a brighter hue.

A brown-haired woman who wishes to choose a brown gown, should avoid such tones as match her hair, but should take those that are two or three shades lighter or darker.

SCARLET LIES

By X and Z, Authors of Married to Mystery

CHAPTER CXLVII.

Mr. Talbot.

"YOU know the Armstrongs, don't you, Marston?" asked Roger Talbot of his friend Hugh Marston, as they paced the platform of the railway station at Mobile.

"Slightly," answered Marston. "Of course, I know a lot of their friends—Menzies and Neil; and, by the way, poor Holland—or whatever we must now call him—was up with me at Harvard. I was at that big party of theirs at Port Cleno in the Autumn."

"Nice people, aren't they?" said Roger Talbot.

"Very; and Miss Armstrong is one of the most beautiful girls I've ever seen!"

"You'd better not let Minnie Quain hear you say that," laughed Talbot, pulling at his close-cropped beard. "By the way, I see the Seafoam came in this afternoon. Isn't she a beauty?"

"Absolutely splendid!" answered Marston. "I think she's the finest yacht afloat!"

"Beats my poor old Crystabel," said Talbot. "Makes her look like a very queer little tub beside her. That reminds me," added Talbot suddenly; "I'm afraid I owe Mrs. Armstrong an apology. I was invited to a sort of a bal masque on board the Seafoam the other day at Marseilles; but I had to leave in such a deuce of a hurry that I couldn't go, and clean forgot about apologizing. But I suppose nobody missed me in that crowd. Besides, disguise and masks were de rigeur, by order."

"Must have been very great fun."

"I expect it was. I was sorry not to have gone, but this confounded business with my uncle's estate has upset most of my arrangements during the last three or four months."

"That's Armstrong's special, I suppose," said Hugh Marston, pointing to a train being shunted into the station.

"Suppose it is, lucky brutes! I wonder if they'd give us a lift? I've half a mind to ask 'em. It would land us half an hour or more earlier. Our wretched train will run up behind them."

MOTHERS! FATHERS!

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"Quite a good idea!" laughed Marston. "Why don't you go and make

Your Belated Apology

for failing to turn up at the Seafoam's bal masque, and secure two comfortable arm chairs in the Soap King's special? Nice to be a millionaire! I wonder, by the way, if that gorgeously beautiful and devilishly wicked looking Judith Mort is there? Gad, what a woman she is! I saw her at Monte Carlo this Spring. I think she was one of the Seafoam guests. She was about a lot with that scoundrel Morley Darch. You know the man?"

"No, thank goodness I don't!" answered Talbot. "And I'm sure I don't want to. That's one of the few men in the world who fill me with an almost irresistible inclination to kick without any apparent cause whenever I meet the brute!"

"I quite understand the feeling," said Marston.

"It isn't at all unique. Minnie Quain, who was with me a lot at Monte Carlo, said she felt just the same about him."

"You remember Monte Carlo, old man," laughed Talbot. "You'll look back upon those sunny halcyon days with awe and dread; for it was there that you sold your freedom—eh?"

"Minnie's all right," said Marston. "I'm quite willing to sell my freedom to her. So shut up, you surly old crust of a bachelor. You'll fall in love one of these fine days!"

"Never!" said Talbot. "I'm past all that."

"Nonsense! How old are you?"

"Wrong side of forty, my son," he answered lugubriously, and tugged his close-clipped beard again. "No, Marston; I'm a bachelor for life. The Crystabel will be my bride. I hope to get her round next week. You and your incomparable Minnie must visit me."

"I shall be delighted. So will she."

"When is the fatal day?"

"This day two weeks Miss Quain becomes Mrs. Marston."

"Poor girl! Cheer up, Hugh!"

Talbot laughed in his hearty, boisterous, sea-dog fashion.

He was a strikingly ugly and undistinguished-looking man, with a bronzed, blunt face, and beard and mustache tinged with gray. He looked like a sailor, and so in truth he was to all intents and purposes.

He had met Armstrong at his club and in connection with yachting, for Talbot spent every available moment of his time on his beloved Crystabel, which he had sailed round the world about two years ago.

Hugh Marston

was a much younger man, and a second cousin of Talbot. He had been staying with him, and the two men were returning to Boston together.

"I really think I shall make myself known to the Armstrongs," said Talbot, after a lapse in the conversation. "We may as well get the advantage of that gorgeous private special. There seems plenty of room, and I'd very much like to get to Boston a bit sooner."

"By all means do," said Hugh Marston. "Let's inquire of the officials when it is timed to start. I don't see any of the party knocking about."

Talbot strode over to an inspector.

"When does Mr. Armstrong's special start?" he asked.

"Well, sir," said the man, "she ought to be off by now. She was chartered for a quarter to ten; but they haven't turned up yet."

"Thanks," said Talbot, and returned to Marston to report.

A few moments afterward Armstrong, accompanied by Mr. Leon Kirke and young Neil, appeared on the platform and following them closely came several men and women and porters with luggage.

"Here's for it," said Talbot. "Come along, Marston."

And he walked up to the Soap King, who greeted him with the utmost cordiality.

"Going up to town to-night?" asked Armstrong.

"Yes, by the ten-fifteen," said Talbot. "Beastly slow train!"

"Why not come with us?" exclaimed Armstrong. "There's heaps of room."

And so the thing was arranged. Marston joined the party, and the conversation became general.

"My wife and daughter will be here in a few minutes," said Armstrong. "Menzies is bringing them on. You know Menzies, don't you?"

"Rather," said Marston.

"I have not had the pleasure of meeting your wife and daughter," said Talbot, "though I owe Mrs. Armstrong an apology for not being able to accept her kind invitation to your fancy-dress ball on board the Seafoam at Marseilles the other day."

"Well, you'll have the opportunity of meeting them and explaining in a minute or two," laughed Armstrong. "I hear it was a great success. In fact, the whole cruise seems to have gone off remarkably well."

"I don't wonder at it," said Marston.

"What a Yacht!"

"She's all right," said Armstrong proudly. "Not much the matter with the Seafoam. Rolls a bit too much, perhaps, especially for my wife; but then she's—well, she isn't a sailor, you know."

"I'm afraid in that case," said Talbot, "that she wouldn't care much for the Chrystabel."

"Fine vessel," said Armstrong." I know her. You'll excuse me for a few moments, won't you? I've got such a lot of things to look after. Feel quite like the shepherd of a flock, don't you know."

"Why, certainly!" Talbot and Marston exclaimed in one and the same breath.

And the Soap King hurried off to consult with the guard of his train.

"Good sort, Armstrong," said Marston.

"One of the very best," agreed Talbot.

"A rough diamond, but a diamond all the same. I believe Mrs. Armstrong is all right, too."

"She is, only even rougher."

"Well, what does that matter? From all accounts, she's as good a soul as her husband."

"And the daughter? You have met her, Marston?"

"Yes. She is wonderfully beautiful and very charming."

"Anything like her people?"

"Not a bit; though she's got something of the grim pluck and determination of her father."

"That's right!" exclaimed Talbot. "I am quite looking forward to meeting her!"

"And there she is," interrupted Hugh Marston, jerking his head significantly in the direction of the group approaching.

"With Menzies—eh?"

"Yes. Menzies is a lucky man."

"And the old lady?"

"Mrs. Armstrong."

"Good gracious! Well, she looks all right. Motherly—eh? I think I shall like her. But hadn't we better make ourselves known at once?"

"I think so," agreed Marston. "Will you go up and introduce yourself, or shall I?"

"Leave it to me. By the way, there's your wonderful Judith Mort with her friend Mrs. Vickers; and here comes Mrs. Leon Kirke and—and—well, the whole lot of 'em, as far as I can make out. And, by Jove, don't they all look bronzed and fit! Nothing like the sea, is there, Marston?"

Hugh Marston shuddered.

"No," he said faintly, "there is nothing like the sea. But we don't get on very well together, for all that."

"You and Mrs. Armstrong ought to get on well together then."

"From all accounts we should, especially when it comes to gales in the Gulf of Lyons and the Bay of Biscay—oh!"

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ADVICE TO THE LOVELORN

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

I am very anxious to know if a gentleman is insulting a lady by telling her that her words and temper were unladylike. The young lady in question was first talking sneeringly and sarcastically, and later in the discussion vehemently, against a minister, father of the young man to whom she was talking. Some of the things she said were false; others she said because she misunderstood his manner. At first the young man tried to defend his father by answering her accusations; and then, firmly, plainly, and taking her quite to task, though not a bit angry, he told her that it was very unladylike for her to talk and act as she did. The young lady was insulted, and said she would never speak to the young man again until he apologized to her. Now, do you not think that she owes the young man and the father an apology, rather than that the young man owes an apology to her? ANXIOUS INQUIRER.

THE young woman was not only unladylike, but extremely tactless and unkind. She decidedly owes the young man an apology. I would not blame him if he never cared to be friends with her again. He did quite right in rebuking her.

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

Among my acquaintances is a young man who puzzles me greatly and I would like to know if he is to be trusted with any young lady's affections. Here not long ago he was very attentive to a young lady, taking her out quite a few times and promising to take her more. Whenever they were together he was very affectionate in both manner and speech. Lately he met another young lady, whom he vists two or three times a week, therefore lessening his calls on the first young lady. Still, when they are thrown into one another's company, he is very affectionate. He wears a picture of each of the young ladies, and when the first young lady found out he was wearing a picture of the other one she asked him politely to take her picture off and cease wearing it. He then told her no one saw those pictures and it would do no harm for him to wear them both. He also told her that, as soon as he found himself thinking too much about a girl, he would turn his attention to someone else whom he did not care so much for, as he knew that his thinking too much about the young lady would lead him to love her. In showing his affection to the first young lady he led her on to love him, as she really does. S. E. G.

I THINK the young man is a flirt and that his intentions are not serious toward either girl. At the same time, he is honest enough about it, as he plainly shows that he does not mean to fall in love with any one. If I were the girl, I would place no value on his attentions. Let him see that you do not take him seriously. That will hurt his pride more than anything. Do not lose your heart to him. The world is full of men of that kind, but they do little enough harm in the long run, as girls have only passing fancies for them.

Advice and Aid to Those in Trouble

By Rev. Albert E. George

EDITOR TROUBLE COLUMN:

Would you kindly inform me as to which one, husband or wife, has the better right to carry a bank account in their name, or whether there is such a thing as a mutual account, so if anything unusual should happen, it could be divided between both. The man earns it but the wife saves it. Thanking you in advance,

MRS. H. G. J.

I WOULD not recommend anything else but separate bank accounts. Let the wife have her own bank account, and let the husband also have his bank account. This will encourage both sides of the household to save.

You imply that the man earns the money, and the woman saves it. This may be true in a measure, but it is not correct in principle. As I have frequently advised in well-kept households, let husband and wife both get into the habit of saving a little every week. A small sum set apart weekly in every home for an emergency is twentieth century wisdom. It is now more necessary than ever to encourage such foresight.

EDITOR TROUBLE COLUMN:

I would like to know from you what the requirements are to obtain a position as brakeman on the Boston & Maine Railroad. If it is necessary to be five years in the country, and where to apply for position; also number of hours each day for work, and if it is necessary to go on a freight train first to learn?

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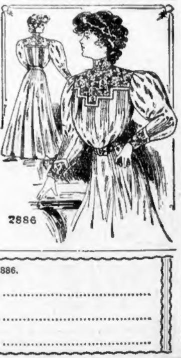

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The Newsboys' Scholarship Fund was increased through the BOSTON AMERICAN yesterday to $1,817.25, and the last contribution was notable as being the first of many intended remittances from organized labor. It was voted to the Newsboys Fund at a meeting held Saturday night of the Book and Job Branch of the Boston Typographical Union. This is taken to presage many more of the same character from similar sources and to show the sympathy existing.

It is known, too, that many individuals and institution heads who intend to swell the Newsboys' Harvard Scholarship Fund have been, or are, vacationing. They are being notified at a distance and given opportunity to assist this educational movement. Their offerings will come along from day to day.

The newsboys are modest in the matter of soliciting the fund. While avoiding any effort at fund raising that might be regarded as offensive or unseemly, they still are keen and sure in their appreciation of all financial favors, small or large.

It is proposed by the officers of the union to formally express their thanks to ll the subscribers and to retain a complete list of the names as recognized friends of the fraternity.

It has been suggested in committee meeting that a committee on entertainment be appointed to look into the advisability of running one or more attractions in local theatres.

Contributions can be made to Kidder, Peabody & Co., trustees of the Newsboys' Scholarship Fund, or to this paper. The BOSTON AMERICAN will acknowledge all contributions in its columns from day to day.

EVERY BOY, YOUNG OR OLD, should read the thrilling story, "Jack Harkaway's Son," a tale of adventure ashore and afloat of a bright American boy, by Captain Richard Rudd, author of the famous story, "Who Killed Gerald Brown?" It begins in the BOSTON AMERICAN to-morrow.

NEW BROCKTON POLICE SCANDAL

Reserve Officer Wall Suspended Pending Charge of "Improper and Immoral Conduct"

BROCKTON, Aug. 15.—Following at the heels of the discharge of Police Inspector Chester E. Harris for alleged immoral conduct, comes the suspension of Reserve Officer Frank E. Wall for ten days because of alleged improper and immoral conduct.

The action against Reserve Officer Wall is an outcome of the police scandal that has been stirring the city to its depths. Wall testified in the recent hearing on the Harris case for the prosecution, his testimony relating to the alleged placing of handcuffs on Stella Elliot.

Officer Wall refused to discuss the matter or say whether he will request a public hearing. It is believed he will ask a hearing. Mayor Keith would discuss the matter only briefly.

HUSBAND FINDS WIFE HANGING

PEABODY, Aug. 15.—Mrs. Mary E. Hooper, wife of Charles H. Hooper, superintendent of streets, committed suicide by hanging in the attic of her home, making a rope of pieces of underclothing.

The husband, who had supposed she was visiting relatives in Danvers, discovered the body as he went to close the door of a vacant room as he was about to retire. She had then been dead about ten hours. He is at a loss to account for her act. She was 48 years of age.

CAPT. INGRAM ASKED TO QUIT

WASHINGTON, Aug. 15.—Commissioner Yerkes has demanded the resignation of four special agents in the internal revenue service, as a result of an investigation he has been making as to the manner in which the officials of his department have been performing their duties.

Among them is Captain Charles H. Ingram, who has charge of the inspection work in New England, with headquarters at Boston, and who is said to be in Washington to see if the commissioner's decision cannot be reversed.

SCARED HORSE JUMPS IN COVE

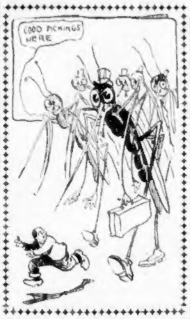
SALEM, Aug. 15.—A democrat wagon, containing a man and two women, was struck by a trolley car in Blockhouse square, and the horse attached to the vehicle, alarmed by the crash, made a wild dash across the square and plunged through a heavy rail fence into the waters of the cove.

The occupants of the wagon were thrown out when it struck the fence, but escaped serious injury and avoided a ducking. The horse was rescued, badly cut and bruised, but the wagon was left in the water.

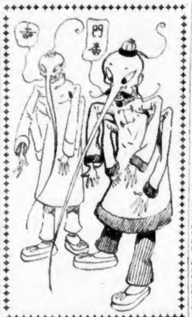
The driver said his name was Jackman, and that he and his companions lived at Topsfield.

MOSQUITOES IN ANNUAL CONVENTION IN BOSTON

Delegations From Manchuria and Louisiana Join Locals in Sting-Fest.



The Advance Host of the Army of "Skeeters."



Two Prominent Manchurian Delegates

The 1,010,101,000th annual convention of the International Order of Mosquitoes, affiliated with the Universal Bloodsuckers' League, opened to-day in Boston with a gratifying attendance.

Boston is honoring the convention by scratching early and often.

The advance guard of delegates arrived early yesterday, followed by the main body last night. About that time Bostonians began to sit up and take notice. They provided food and lodging for the delegates, involuntarily, but none the less liberally.

The topic to-day in the Back Bay, on the trains, on the in-bound trolleys and down in the busy business district is—"How many bites did you get?"

New Brand of Bite.

Boston has been "skeeter" ridden before, but this is felt to be the limit. From the number of bites to the square inch on the human body it is easily estimated that this convention's attendance is a record-breaker. It is also noted that several new delegations are present.

There is one new delegation in particular, with a brand-new bite. This bite is small but lively. It itches worse than the time-honored itching palm. This bite is thought to be the work of a delegation from the Manchurian morasses, which has come to attend the convention and the peace conference at Portsmouth also.

The principal delegation, of course, is from New Jersey as usual. It is incorporated under Jersey laws and is attended by its own corporation counsel.

Big Home Delegation.

The home delegation is larger than ever. The Fenway branch of the local association, a particularly flourishing local, is out in force. The sewer construction work has greatly facilitated the mosquito industry the past year and the race-suicide scare that was once prevalent is now reduced to a shadow.

Jamaica Pond branch sent in a large delegation and other locals are well represented.

The convention is being held in the Fenway, just beyond Boylston Road. It was called to order at 10 a. m., with President Stinger in the chair. After the minutes of the last convention in Paterson, N. J., were read, the reports of district officers were called for. The first to report was the Louisiana district, which gave a delightful account of the yellow fever propaganda, as ably assisted by the Louisiana locals. The Mississippi district followed with an equally gratifying statement. At noon the convention adjourned to Mechanics Hall to lunch on the photographers' convention delegates.

MOON'S ECLIPSE HIDDEN BY HAZE

Opportunity for Observation Is Small, and Astronomers Are Much Disappointed.

The partial eclipse of the moon came off according to schedule last night, but the clouds interfered and to some extent eclipsed the eclipse. In consequence, Professor Pickering and his staff at Harvard observatory were greatly disappointed, for it is feared that the photographs taken will be unsatisfactory.

The eclipse was the sort known to astronomers as a 29 per cent. eclipse, and was the first of its kind in eighteen years. The principal desire of Professor Pickering of the Harvard Observatory was to determine, if possible, by the photographs whether the moon has a satellite, as some astronomers contend, and also whether there is snow on the moon.

At the last similar eclipse photographic plates indicated that there was moisture on the moon and seemed to show that the spot on the luminary known as Tycho varied in size, and from the observations the astronomers deduced the conclusion that the spot was probably snow, growing when the moon was in eclipse and decreasing when under the sun's rays.

The photographs of the eclipse were taken by Mr. Colson of the observatory and will be developed by him later. If perfect, they will do much to determine whether there is a satellite and if there is snow on the moon.

MILLIONAIRE'S AUTO HELD UP IN MALDEN

Morton Seymour, chauffeur for Otto H. Kahn, a New York millionaire, member of the firm of Kuhn, Loeb & Co., was fined $20 in Malden Police Court for overspeeding while his employer was trying to make connections with a train in Malden. The machine was held up by Officer McKenna. Kahn took it good naturedly.

SAW CREW DIE, ONE AFTER ONE

Schooner Capsized by Squall and Men Perished Before Aid Could Reach Them.

NORTH SIDNEY, N. S., Aug. 15.—A small schooner was capsized off Lingan Head by a sudden squall. The wreck was seen from shore, but before anything could be done the storm increased to the intensity of a hurricane and one by one the crew was seen to fall away from the bottom of the overturned craft. It is believed all were lost.

The keeper at the Low Point lighthouse sent the news of the disaster to this place by telephone, and the steamer Cacouna immediately left for the scene, returning with information that the lost vessel was the schooner Garland, bound from Port Morien for Sydney with a cargo of lumber.

The steamer searched the ocean for miles, but failed to find any trace of the bodies of the crew. It is thought there were four men on board.

BRAVE RESCUE IN NEW SUBWAY

An eight-inch water main burst in the new subway excavation at the corner of Washington and Winter streets. John Boyle, the foreman of the workmen, was hurled against the flooring overhead, and then dropped to the bottom of the excavation, with a badly fractured chest.

Tony Ferrati, one of the workmen, while the rest of the men scrambled to the surface, plunged into the flood and brought the injured man to the surface.

YEAR'S APPLE CROP TO BE VERY SMALL

Results of a canvass of the New England States by the Boston Chamber of Commerce indicate that the apple crop this year will not be more than one half of the crop last year. On the whole the quality of the crop will be good. Similar conditions exist in all parts of the country.

LABOR NEWS

ALLIED PRINTING TRADES UNION LABEL COUNCIL BOSTON, MASS. 96

An elaborate programme, including speeches by Mayor Daly and prominent labor representatives, has been arranged by Cambridge Central Labor Union for Labor Day, to take the place of the usual parade.

In the morning there will be a series of games, under the sanction of the N. E. A. A. U., including a 100-yard dash, 440-yard run, 880-yard run and a team race, for which prizes of gold and silver watches will be awarded. There will also be a third of a mile run for men connected with the organizations affiliated with the Cambridge Central Labor Union, for gold and silver watches.

Gold and silver medals will be given to the winners in the 100-yard dash for boys under fifteen and gold rings for the girls who win in their 100-yard dash. A large number of entries have already been received by Thomas J. Edwards, chairman of the Labor Day Committee.

In the afternoon Mayor Daly will make an address of welcome, and the other speakers will include President Peter W. Collins of the Boston Central Labor Union, ex-Senator Edward J. Slattery of South Framingham and John Golden of Fall River. Following this there will be a baseball game, and in the evening there will be a band concert.

HANF CHOSEN PRESIDENT.

Clarence Hanf has been elected president of Marble Workers' Helpers' Union. The other officers chosen are: Vice-president, Michael McCarthy; recording secretary, John Green; financial secretary, William Shannon; sergeant-at-arms, Richard McDonald; Executive Board, Henry Garney, John O'Brien, Timothy Vaughn, John Hart and Richard McDonald. The initiation fee has been reduced from $25 to $15 temporarily for the purposes of thoroughly organizing the marble helpers in this vicinity.

LABOR NOTES.

Uniforms for the Labor Day parade will be distributed to members of the Market and Commission House Teamsters to-day at No. 177 Washington street, north. The uniform will consist of white beach hats, white duck trousers and blue pin-checked jumpers.

E. J. Finnegan will represent the Photo-Engravers' Union No. 3 at the international convention at Buffalo in October.

D. F. Donovan will be marshal of the Sand and Tip Cart Drivers' Union in the Labor Day parade.

Team Drivers' Union No. 25 has engaged the Halligan National Brass Band, the Rosse Band and the Bridgewater Brass Band for Labor Day.

Boston & Maine Freight Handlers' Assembly No. 5,572, K. of L., will celebrate Labor Day with a banquet in the afternoon and evening at Monument Hall, Charlestown.

Bay State Lodge of Railroad Carmen will hereafter meet at Jefferson Hall on the second Sunday afternoon and fourth Wednesday night.

Vice-President Frank P. McGrath will be chief marshal of the Building Trades Council division of the Labor Day parade.

Coal Teamsters' Union expects to turn out 1,000 men in the Labor Day parade.

Painters' Union No. 11 holds a special meeting to-night at Wells Memorial building.

AMUSEMENTS FOR SUMMER DAYS

BIG VARIETY OF GOOD THINGS AT KEITH'S

Views of the Russian-Japanese peace conference make timely subjects for the kinetograph at Keith's this week. The pictures of the distinguished ambassadors are good and interest the audience extremely.

In the "skit" line, the marital complications of "He, She and He" are as lively as it's title. It is put on by Rudolf Horsky, a prominent German actor, Leona Bergere, sister of the famous Valerie of that name, and Roy Fairchild. Miss Bergere adds charm to the piece by her piquant little French song.

Victor Moore and Emma Littlefield, old comedy favorites, have their new skit, "Change Your Act" for a fun maker. They introduce clever singing and dancing specialties. Kennedy and Rooney, eccentric dancers, vocalists and trick pianists, and Leclare and Hart, burlesque strong men, have good acts.

In the line of dexterity Rae and Bennedetto put on a thrilling revolving ladder turn, and Gates and Nelson do some clever work on the rolling globes. Daisy Dumont, vocalist, and the Young America Quintet pass several minutes quickly, and Miss Georgia Galvin, soprano soloist, sings delightfully.

The Fadettes Women's Orchestra, which is booked for only one more week, holds its great popularity. It has a good programme for this week, and the usual number of encores is insistently demanded by the audience.

LAST TIMES OF "GEEZER OF GECK"

The merry "Geezer of Geck" entered upon the fourth and last week of its engagement at the Tremont Theatre last night with another capacity audience in attendance. The business done by this attraction and the popular favor shown it seem to increase as the time for its departure grows near. It could easily remain at the Tremont for several weeks longer, but contracts call for its production in Chicago next Monday, and the entire company of seventy-five people will leave Boston after the Saturday matinee performance by special train to begin an indefinite engagement in the Western metropolis. There will be a final matinee Saturday.

On Saturday night Henry W. Savage's presentation of George Ade's comedy, "The College Widow," will be seen for the first time in this city. It was one of the conspicuous successes of last season in New York, and its coming has been looked forward to with pleasureable anticipation.

"MUGGS' LANDING" AT THE BOWDOIN

That popular comedy drama, "Muggs' Landing," was a sufficient magnet to fill the Bowdoin Square Theatre twice yesterday, and as usual it gave abundant satisfaction. No comedy seen at the Bowdoin for a long time has seemed to create half as much merriment. The comedy was presented cleverly and with care not to have it border on the extreme, while the stage settings were handsome. The cottage by the sea scene with the wreck at sea, the home of Muggs, the landing, and all the famous old features of the story were naturally shown.

Pearl De Sousier made a vivacious Little Muggs. Annette Marshall was a pleasing Julie, and Florence Hale was very amusing as Shouting Harder. Butler Haviland was satisfying as the soldier, Judson, and Wilmer Walter was at his best as Dixon, the adventurer. The other characters were well sustained.

Next week "Peck's Bad Boys" will be the offering.

DARKEY JUBILEE AT PARAGON PARK

Prof. Bristol's Equine Wonders are the leading feature of the free open air circus at Paragon Park this week and there can be no doubt but what it is one of the greatest attractions which have yet been offered in this department of the park. The troupe includes five little ponies, who do all manner of clever tricks, the thoroughbred horse, Diamond, who does a wonderful contortion act; and Ruby, the funny trick mule. Other acts are offered by McPhee and Hill, bar performers, and Marr and Evans, chair equilibrists and fun makers.

The Darkey Jubilee, or "South Before the War," which is the newest feature added to Paragon Park, is catching on with remarkable success. It is on the grounds formerly occupied by the Wild West show and the band includes sixty genuine Southern darkeys, who give a continuous performance of music, mirth and dancing as it was "befo' de wah."

Just outside the darkey show is the Filipino band, which is a new free attraction. This is a band of genuine Filipinos, who come direct from a long engagement at Luna Park, Coney Island. They play upon native instruments.

The concerts afternoon and evening by Mace Gay's Martland band are highly popular.

SUMMER IDEAS AT NORUMBEGA PARK

Norumbega Park had a record breaking attendance Sunday for this season. The number of people who passed the turnstiles have been exceeded by only one holiday this summer. The crowds at Norumbega this summer are much larger than those of any previous season. Thousands are taking the delightful trolley trip out to enjoy the garden, woodland and river scenery and the many amusements and entertainments. With the fine canoe equipment at the Norumbega boat house and the diversity of amusements Norumbega Park has something to suit each individual taste of the amusement seeker.

The vaudeville program given yesterday and to be repeated every afternoon and evening this week is headed with the original comedietta, "Domestic Pets," presented by Ellsworth and Burt. Lizzie Daly and her supporting company are next on the list in a merry singing and dancing sketch. The Maxsmith duo are giving novel performances on the dancing ladders. Yackley and Bunnell are offering a comedy musical act called "The Musical Minstrels." C. W. Littlefield is seen in ludicrous impersonations. The Komograph closes the program with new motion pictures.

BASS POINT TRIP IS A POPULAR ONE

Never in the history of Bass Point has the steamer line to the resort been so heavily patronized. More and better attractions are provided than ever before. It is distinctly a clean, orderly class of patronage to which the resort has catered this season, and the efforts along this line have been crowned with success. Among the attractions at the resort are the open-air theatre, with first-class vaudeville attractions; the new dancing casino, most favorably located; the free band concerts, the new athletic field, and the usual seashore diversions of boating, bathing and fishing.

LOST PARADISE MEETS FAVOR AT THE EMPIRE

That Ludwig Fulder's, "The Lost Paradise" will ever remain a favorite with Boston theatregoers was evidenced last night by the manner in which the piece was received at the Empire Theatre. The applause was almost without cessation. Throughout the play there is a scattering of clever witty lines, offsetting in a way the more solemn theme.

Great care was shown in the providing of scenery and properties for the production. In the second act is portrayed the interior of a monster iron foundry with its network of wheels and shafting. A large number of extra people are skilfully used in presenting the larger stage pictures incidental to the action.

William Courtleigh made an admirable Reuben Warner, and the manly fashion in which he met the demands of the character commanded the favor of the audience. Isabelle Fletcher, in the role of Margaret Knowlton, the heroine, gained distinct favor and made a most pleasing central figure in her scenes. William Humphrey was aggressive and exasperating as the rascally Ralph Standish. Other roles were filled in a commendable manner by Mary Sanders, Herbert Corthell, Francis Ball, Carl Anthony, Mabel Estell and Gertrude Berkeley.

"PEARL" BEGINS LAST WEEK AT COLONIAL

"The Pearl and the Pumpkin" began the final week of its stay at the Colonial last night. This is the fifth week that this jolly extravaganza has been here and it is just as popular as it was on the first night that it was introduced to the Boston public. Bostonians, and New Englanders as well, will have only six more chances of enjoying this spectacular production, which is as conspicuous for its feminine beauty as the most gorgeous of the Drury Lane spectacles.

All the leaders in the cast shared in the honors last evening and from tall Edwin Stevens down to the microscopic midshipmites with the Flying Dutchman they won applause. Mr. Stevens has always proved popular as a comedian here, and has never appeared to greater advantage than as the Ancient Mariner. He had new bits of amusing drollery last evening, and the new speech with which he invests the "Seeing Boston" tour with his fellow comedians proved undeniably funny.

INDIAN GIANT AT AUSTIN & STONE'S

Big John Middle Sky, the Yuma giant, now on exhibition at Austin & Stone's Museum, doesn't quite come up to the mythological giant, the monster "Polyphemus," who is said to have been 300 feet in height, but he compares most favorably with giants of past centuries. In the museum of Trinity College, Dublin, is a human skeleton eight feet six inches high, but for a real flesh and blood giant who can be seen daily at Austin & Stone's Museum, John Middle Sky beats all the mythological giants hands down. This is his last week.

This week's show, both in the curio hall and on the theatre stage, is even better than usual. In addition to the fat women, who are hourly giving a unique and curtain show, the vaudeville artists are appearing to advantage. Kohler and Marion, Ward and Goodwin, Melrose and Ebner and La Porte and Hadley are among the leaders. And then there are Powell's "Minstrel Maids."

OLD HOWARD WILL OPEN NEXT MONDAY

Next Monday the Old Howard will open for its sixtieth season with a straight old-time vaudeville bill, made up of some of the leading headliners among old Howard favorites. The theatre will look spic and span for the opening in a new dress of white and gilt.

In the opening bill will be Mr. and Mrs. Mark Murphy, James Richmond Glenroy, the Pantzer trio, Hoey and Lee, Murphy and Frances, the De Elmars, Grace Leonard, Russell and Tillyne, Nessen and Nessen, Rich and Harvey, the Felmer Sisters, Fred Bowman, the Imperial Musical duo and several others. The old scale of popular prices will rule.

"BELLE OF BOSTON" AT LEXINGTON PARK

Lexington Park is a mecca for the tired and scorched stay-at-homes in the city, who find relief in an evening or afternoon trolley trip over the shaded Paul Revere trolley routes to Lexington and Concord, and the comfort and amusement of that picturesque forest retreat. Over 20,000 people visited Lexington Park last Sunday, which is in actual figures several thousand more than were ever seen there before outside a holiday.

The band concerts by Lenna Claire Howe's Woman's Orchestra offer programs in the afternoon and evening in Music Court. With the famous bear pit, said to be the largest in this country, and the baby camel and the baby sacred calf in the zoological garden, the free toboggan slides, the roller skating, merry-go-round, clambake and fish dinners as a special feature of the restaurant, the free library, bowling alley, electric fountains, observation tower and many other attractions, visitors to Lexington Park find the time passes quickly.

In the rustic theatre this week the attraction is the latest musical production from the pen of Matt Ott, "The Belle of Boston."

POPULAR FEATURES AT POINT OF PINES

The vaudeville bill program in the rustic theatre at the Point of Pines this week is headed by that famous team of grotesque comedians, Booth and Rudd, who have not been seen near Boston for many a day. Their act is almost entirely new, although many of the best of the old features have been retained. Another act is offered by Hathaway and Walton, a team of wooden shoe dancers, and Seymouth and Hill do comedy acrobatic stunts. Charles Kenna gives his funny sketch, "The Fakir," and Zella and Dot, a man and a dog, do a remarkable equilibristic act. There are plenty of free seats and performances are given afternoon and evening.

The fireworks shows are now better than ever before. For this week an excellent bill is offered, replete with novelties. The Lynn Cadet Band gives daily concerts. Their programs are made up almost entirely of the latest popular songs.

The photograph contest is exciting attention, with a prize of $15 for the best night picture of the electric illumination, $5 for the second best and an additional prize of $5 for the best day picture of the beach. There is no entry fee, and the contest is open to all amateurs. It closes August 26. Photographs should be sent to Joseph J. Raymond, manager Point of Pines, Revere, Mass.

STEAMER TRIP TO HISTORIC PLYMOUTH

The all-day excursion to Plymouth on the steamboat Old Colony makes an ideal midsummer outing. Each day, Sundays included, the Old Colony leaves Rowe's wharf at 10 a. m. for the sail along the South Shore to Plymouth, which is reached before 1 o'clock. As the boat does not leave for the home trip until 3:30, plenty of time is allowed for a visit to Plymouth Rock, the old burial grounds, Memorial Hall and the other places of historic interest.

STIRRING PLAY, WELL ACTED, AT THE GRAND

The audience at the Grand Opera House last night witnessed a thrilling play entitled "Dangers of Working Girls," by Martin Hurley. The characters are well drawn and the acting good.

There is a novel villain in the play in the person of a Hindoo whose hypnotic influence is constantly working evil to the hero and heroine. A particularly pathetic part of the drama is where Handsome Charley, a sailor from an American warship, who has been wounded and lost his memory, is made a tool of the villain decoy and lures young girls to their destruction. One of the young man's intended victims proves to be his sister, and he recognizes her in time to save her from the wiles of the Hindoo.

The players worthy of special mention are Louis Von Wheithoff as the Hindoo and Katherine Angus, the doctor's victim.

FUN AND MUSIC AT PALACE THEATRE

The bill offered at the Palace Theatre yesterday proved one of the most enjoyable that has been offered at that place of amusement all Summer. There are two burlesques, "The Feminine Bathers" and "Luna Park by Night," both of which are funny and are attractively staged.

In the olio are Melville and Young, two bright girls, in a singing specialty; Carrol and Baker, who are amusing in eccentric songs and dances; Curtis and May, in a comedy sketch; the Balhour brothers, skilful acrobats, and Denison and Courtland, who mix comedy and music.

HOME BY MOONLIGHT FROM NANTASKET

Moonlight trips to and from Nantasket Beach will attract thousands to this popular near Boston resort during the week. An evening at Nantasket within the brilliant Paragon Park can be rounded out to perfection by a sail up the harbor on the late boat, which leaves Nantasket pier at 10:40 every evening. The tides come right this week for the surf bathing late in the afternoon and early evening. The new State bathhouse has been more liberally patronized this season than ever before. Steamers leave Rowe's wharf once an hour for Pemberton and Nantasket, connections being made at the first named place with trains for points between Pemberton and Nantasket.

KILLS HORSE IN FIT OF RAGE

WHITMAN, Aug. 15.—In a rage because a neighbor who sold him a harness had taken it away because of non-payment of instalments on it, Henry L. Bates picked up an axe and killed his horse and reduced his buggy to kindling wood. The police are looking for him because of these deeds, and because he is alleged to have threatened to burn the house of his neighbor, David H. Howe, of Nursery lane.

Bates bought the horse and buggy some time ago. He secured the harness from Mr. Howe and agreed to pay for it in instalments. When Mr. Howe went to the Bates house for the payments Mrs. Bates told him her husband hadn't money for the harness and that he had better take the harness. This he did. When Bates got home he was very angry when he found that the harness had been taken, and started in to demolish everything within reach. Howe ran for assistance, and when he got back home he found Bates had taken to the woods.

CORDIAL INVITATION

ADDRESSED TO WORKING GIRLS

Miss Barrows Tells How Mrs. Pinkham's Advice Helps Working Girls

Miss Abby F. Barrows

Girls who work are particularly susceptible to female disorders, especially those who are obliged to stand on their feet from morning until night in stores or factories.

Day in and day out the girl toils, and she is often the bread-winner of the family. Whether she is sick or well, whether it rains or shines, she must get to her place of employment, perform the duties exacted of her—smile and be agreeable.

Among this class the symptoms of female diseases are early manifest by weak and aching backs, pain in the lower limbs and lower part of the stomach. In consequence of frequent wetting of the feet, monthly periods become painful and irregular, and frequently there are faint and dizzy spells, with loss of appetite, until life is a burden. All of these symptoms point to a derangement of the female organism which can be easily and promptly cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Miss Abby F. Barrows, Nelsonville, Athens Co., Ohio, tells what this great medicine did for her. She writes:

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"I am in better health than I ever was, and I know it is all due to your remedies. I recommend your advice and medicine to all who suffer."

It is to such girls that Mrs. Pinkham holds out a helping hand and extends a cordial invitation to correspond with her. Her long record of success in treating woman's ills makes her letters of advice of untold value to every ailing working girl, and from her wide experience and skill she quickly points the way to health. Her advice is free, and all letters are held by her in the strictest confidence. Address, Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass.

AMUSEMENTS.

"He She and He" Is a Lively Little Farce Included in the Keith Bill this Week. Be sure to Drop in and See It.

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Mr. Lamont's Fortune

It Ought to Make the People Think a Little

The late Daniel Lamont was an intelligent, energetic and very agreeable man. He served **HIS FRIENDS** faithfully and tirelessly.

A few years ago he had nothing. Mr. Cleveland made him his private secretary when he was first elected President. He afterward made him Secretary of War.

When Mr. Lamont left the Cabinet there were big, rich men, owners of railroads, very anxious to utilize his extraordinary abilities, which they had failed to discover until Mr. Lamont had an opportunity of displaying them as **A PERSON HAVING GREAT INFLUENCE UNDER GROVER CLEVELAND.**

Mr. Lamont dies, and the world learns that, as the result of a very few years' accumulation, he leaves $3,300,000 behind him.

It is not a great deal, perhaps, in these quick days.

But it is a large enough sum to contain some interesting suggestions.

If the private secretary of President Cleveland could accumulate over three millions in a short time, in whose interest do you think public affairs were run during Cleveland's administration?

Mr. Lamont helped to engineer that interesting bond deal, through which some favored gentlemen were enabled to buy United States government bonds at a shamefully low price.

Of course, **HE** was not the responsible person. As President of the United States Cleveland was the responsible man.

Did Mr. Lamont, by any chance, give his friend, Grover Cleveland, his recipe for making a big fortune quickly? If he did, what a lot of money Mr. Cleveland ought to be able to make for the policy holders of the Equitable—if Mr. Ryan will give him the chance!

We are not criticising Mr. Lamont especially. He was just a fair sample of the energetic American, intelligent enough to realize that it is better to have **ONE TRUST** than all the people for your friend.

Mr. Lamont, from a strictly selfish point of view, did not owe the **PEOPLE** anything. **THEY** never elected him; they never imposed any confidence in him; his fortune came from the trusts, through Cleveland.

What would be the comfort, the prosperity of the people of the United States, if they could keep for themselves at least a reasonable part of that enormous national wealth which can give three, or five, or ten, or fifty millions to an innumerable list of parasites and financial jackals?

When will the people find among themselves a leader, or, **IN THEIR OWN MINDS**, the power of thought, that will enable them to keep for the people the extraordinary wealth of this nation which is being diverted, through theft and perversion of law, to the pockets of a few cunning men?

For YOU, Mr. College Man, And YOU, Mr. Self-made Man

Are you a college graduate?

Or are you one of those who never had that opportunity?

By the mere logic of things you must be one or the other; therefore, this is for you. It is for every man who earns his bread by toil and for every man who doesn't know what labor is—perhaps more so for him.

If you have been through college you know it's advantages. It is not necessary to argue with you about that. You know what college has done for you and for thousands of others.

If you are not a college man, you know what you have missed. It is now, and will always be, a source of deep regret to you.

You will feel that it would have been better if you had had the opportunity to take a little—only a little—of that lavish wealth of knowledge which college could have given to you.

You may have reached the highest pinnacle of success without a college education, but if you had had it—well, it would have been better.

It is not a far-fetched conclusion, therefore, to say that all of you know the value of college education.

Well, we agree on that.

Having established premises tenable to both of us, we can proceed.

This to the man who has a college education:

Would you like to give to a boy a chance at the advantages you had? Would you like to know that, partly by your effort, another man may go forth into the world as ably fixed for its eternal battle as you were? Wouldn't it gratify you to have a personal interest in an ambitious boy who is seeking the best equipment for an intelligent fight for advancement?

We answer, as you would, yes.

Now, this to the man who did not have a college education:

Knowing what you have missed, wouldn't you like to see another boy start in life with a better chance than you had?

Wouldn't you like to feel that you had given him this chance?

Wouldn't you like to remove from the path of one, at least, those obstacles growing out of insufficient education which will hamper him all through life?

We answer for you, too, in the affirmative.

Here is a broad general plane on which you, Mr. College Man, and you, Mr. Self-made Man, may stand side by side. It's a little matter of philanthropy.

Now, don't stop reading this, because it's going to be more interesting in a minute. Don't let the idea of giving something scare you.

We have said something in this column before about the Newsboys' Union and the proposed Harvard scholarship for the brightest of those young fellows who sell papers. You probably read here the other day that they were trying to raise $5,000 to establish this scholarship.

Well, they're doing it. The figure is now nearly $2,000. It will go to $5,000, perhaps more. The newsboys who seek through college an opportunity for their fullest usefulness are working for it, and contributions are coming in.

But, like Oliver Twist, they want more.

So YOU send something, either to the **BOSTON AMERICAN** or to Kidder, Peabody & Company, who are trustees of the fund.

The newsboys gave their $100 before they asked any contribution from YOU.

That shows that they mean business.

If you can't send more, send a dollar, or $5, or $10, or $20. It would be a greater tribute to the aspiring boys for many persons to give small sums than for a few to give large sums. Be one of those many.

Once there was a Fool and a Miller. The Fool stood looking at the thin stream of meal which came, warm, from the heavy grindstones. It was only as large as his little finger.

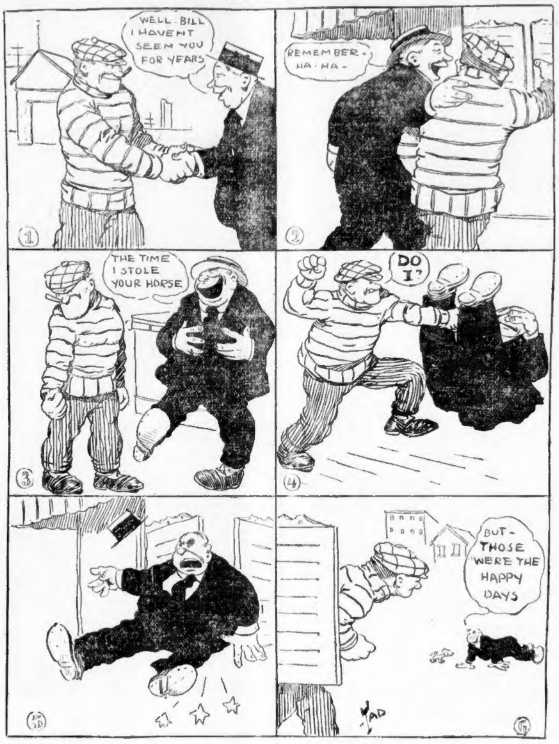
"I could eat that as fast as it comes out," said the Fool.

"Yes, but not as long," said the Miller.

Thus the little contributions, trivial in themselves, make a great volume. That's what we want to have happen in this effort to educate a newsboy.

Your mite should be one of many hundreds to complete the $5,000.

THOSE WERE THE HAPPY DAYS



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WELL - BILL I HAVENT SEEN YOU FOR YEARS
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REMEMBER - HA - HA -
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THE TIME I STOLE YOUR HORSE
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DO I?
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BUT - THOSE WERE THE HAPPY DAYS
TAD

Bill Has a Good Memory—Also a Good Punch

NO HURRY

"And you accepted him?"

"Oh, dear, no. Why, this is only the sixth time he has proposed."

A PERIPATETIC'S APOLOGY

"Why don't you go to work?"

"Lady," answered Plodding Pete, "I'm on me way dere now. De trouble is dat when I'm in New York I hear about a job dat I kin git in Frisco. An' by de time I gits to Frisco I finds de job is taken an' I hears of another one in New York."—Washington Star.

JUST ONE CASE

"After all, the old saying, 'There's always room at the top,' doesn't mean anything."

"Unless," replied the traveling man, "it means that the lower berths in a sleeper are usually taken before you get there."—Philadelphia Press.

HIS DISCRETION DEFINED

"My wife wants me to get another suit of clothes like the one I have on," said Mr. Meekton.

"We can give you something much better," returned the salesman, "at a very little increase of cost."

"Excuse me. I am simply a courier in this matter, not an envoy plenipotentiary."—Washington Star.

PERFECTLY SAFE

"No, Harry, you musn't walk on the grass. The policeman will catch you if you do."

"Yes, but he'll have to walk on the grass to catch me, and then he'll get arrested, too."

A COMPLIMENT

SHE—Pardon me, I thought you were Mr. Jones.

HE—By Jove! Jones will feel flattered when I tell him.

HIGH PRAISE

"You're a perfect peach," declared the young fellow.

"Do you really think so," murmured the young girl.

"Yes, indeed. I don't believe Burbank himself could improve you."—Houston Chronicle.

IDLE

"Is your husband working yet?" asked Mrs. Upply.

"No," answered Mrs. Commer. "It's too hot for Wesley to dig bait now."—Detroit Tribune.

SIMPLE PLEASURES

"Paw says a mean man gits as much good out o' kicking a dog as a good man does in helpin' a friend."—Detroit Tribune.

Dinkelspiel's Letters to His Son Looey---No. IV.

By George V. Hobart

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Saratoga, Yesterday.

MY lieber Looey:—I came up here by Saratoga mit your mother to see is der lid as loose ven you get near it as it looks in der newspapers.

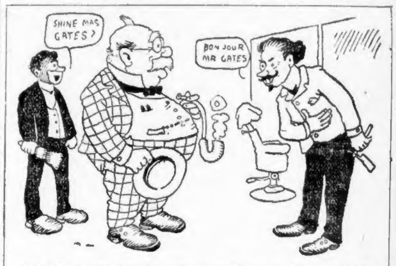
To show you vot a spindrift I am mit money, Looey, und to impression on your mind vot a curse is gambling, I vould vish you to follow your father carelessly through vun feverish Saratoga day, to vit:—

Voke up in der morning early at der hotel und made a bet mit your mother dot der bell boy vould get me a morning paper und not hate me if I dit not tip him. I lose.

Vent into der dining room und made a small bet dot der vaiter vould bring us a nice hot breakfast mitouid vunce glancing to see vas my pocketbook loaded. I lose.

Valked ouid of der dining room und placed a small bet dot I could get my hat back from der colored hat keeper from Cape Hattress mitouid having to pay for it. I lose.

Vent down to get my shoes shined und gave myself odds dot der bootblack vould not eggspect more den he charged und charge more den he eggspected. I lose.



"Placed a bet dot der barber vould not mistake me for Chon W. Gates."

I valked up to der seegar counter und placed a bet dot I could get a Colorado obscura imperfecto for ten cents und not haf to pay tventy-five cents because dey needed der money. I lose.

Engaged a hack to took your mother und me to der Springs und all der vay ofer I kept betting myself dot der hackster vould charge me less for der ride den he vould for his horse. I lose.

Met a colored man und asked him a few questionings abouid der Springs. Placed a small bet dot I could get der desired inflammation mitouid consulting my loose change. I lose.

Took a drink from der Springs und gave myself ten to vun dot it vould not insult my stomach. I lose.

Vent in a saloon to get someding to disguise my digestion from der Springs vater und made it 3 to 1 dot I could get five cents vorth of ginger beer mitouid hafing to pay fifteen cents tovards der mahogany voodvork around der bar. I lose.

Took your mother back to der pizazza of der hotel und placed a small bet dot I could leave her dare for fifteen minutes mitouid it cost me money. A few minutes after I left her your mother happened to notice a East Indian fakester selling lace Cashmere shawls made in Calcutta, New Chersey. I lose.

Vent in der barber shop und placed a small bet dot der barber vould not mistake me for Chon W. Gates und eggspect to be financially revarded. I lose.

I could mention much more abouid der gambling spirit vich perwades der Springs, Looey, but sufficiency unto der day is der eggspenses dareof.

In your last letter, Looey, you suchchested dot I should drop into Canfield's place to see could I dewise some means to beat der game und by bursting a tire on der bank render a great favor to humanity.

I haf looked ofer der sitivation mit much concentration und I haf dewised a system for beating der bank vich I dink vill result hysterically to all dose concerned.

Dese vas der rules of my system.

(1) Ven entering der gambling palace throw a pinch of salt ofer der left shoulder, turn around three times mit der face pointing tovards der lookout, und den bow politefully to all der vaiters.

(2) Leave all your money at home.

(3) Take from der right hand pocket mit der left hand a four-leaf clover und shake it t'reateningly at der dealer. Dis vill prewent der cards from getting confused.

(4) If you haf no home leave your money at der hotel.

(5) Ask for fifty dollars vorth of chips und ven you get dem smile briefly und tell der banker to mark der amount on der ice. Ven you recofer consciousness der game vill be ofer, und it vill be time to close up. By dis means you save sigsty-two dollars.

(6) Statisticals proof to us dot der ace of diamonds alvays follows der ten of hearts; der qveen of spades alvays follows der deuce of clubs und by playing der bezique card ofer und above der trump you vill meld eighty kinks, vich is der equivalent to a four flush of spades, provided, howefer, dot your opponent holds der choker vich results in a mis-deal und contaminates der sequence mit der eggsception of der kitty, vich is only used for defraying eggspenses, eggspecially ven leading from a low suit through der dummy.

Follow dese rules, Looey, ven you vish to be a sport, because it is only ven you lose money dot gambling is a curse. Yours mit luff,

D. DINKELSPIEL.
Per George V. Hobart.

> Beware the fury of a patient man.
>
> JOHN DRYDEN.

KOMURA

By James J. Montague

HE tips the beam at ninety pounds,
He's hardly five feet tall;
He's got a treble voice that sounds
Exceeding thin and small.
But if in stature, girth and weight
He's marvellously shy,
His nerve is what one might call great,
And here's the reason why:

He wants Kwang Tung and Li-Lo Lung
And Mukden and Wi-Ju;
He wants New Chwang and Bayombang,
And all Korea, too.
He wants Ye-Ho and Che-Mul-Po
Turned over to Japan;
He's little, but, Great Caesar! what
A nervy gentleman!

A gentle breeze with perfect ease
Would blow him through the door;
But still he asks whate'er he sees,
And files requests for more.
He looks about like thirty yen
Beside the average Slav,
But kindly listen once again
To what he's got to have:

In modest tones a billion bones
He quietly demands,
As well as all the great and small
Korean seas and lands,
With Sakhalin and Ling Ho Len,
Pekin, Se-Ul and Yap;
In size he's shy, but goodness my!
Ain't he the sassy Jap?

NOW WHAT D'YE THINK OF THAT?

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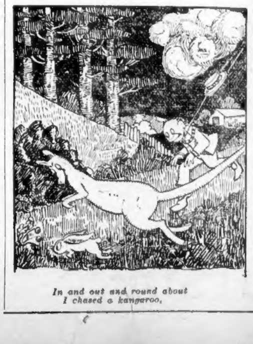
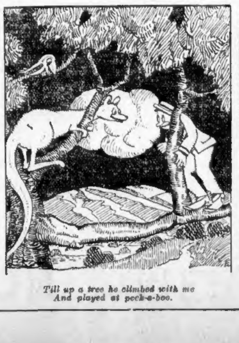
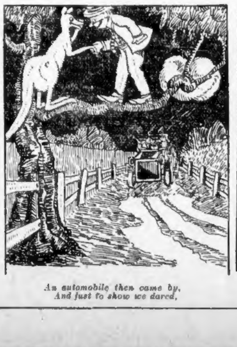


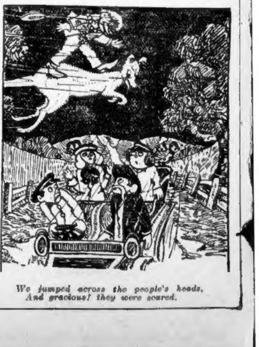
In and out and round about
I chased a kangaroo,



Till up a tree he climbed with me
And played at peek-a-boo.



An automobile then came by,
And just to show we dared,



We jumped across the people's heads,
And gracious! they were scared.